

SEEK UNDERSTANDING WITH EUROPE

U. S. JOINS IN STERN DEMAND UPON TURKS

Must Make Concessions After Abolishing Foreigners' Privileges

CHILD STATES POSITION

Controversy Over Oil Fields Brings Critical State at Conference

(By the Associated Press.)
Lausanne, Dec. 28.—Richard Washburn Child, chief American spokesman, joined with the heads of the allied delegations at today's meeting of the capitulations commission of the Near East conference in declaring that some guarantees must be given by Turkey to replace the capitulations or extra territorial rights for foreigners which the Kemalists have declared abolished.

CRISIS NEARS
Lausanne, Dec. 28.—The Near East conference was faced with a serious crisis today as the sharp and apparently irreconcilable conflict between the English and the Turks over the Mosul oil fields reached a decisive stage.

Lord Curzon's statement that "the turning point of the conference had come," and that England would decline to continue the Mosul controversy was in direct conflict with Ismet Pasha's note asserting that the Turkish people decided "to employ to the last limit of its forces all means to obtain the return of Mosul to the motherland."

Between these two extremes there is a gulf which seems likely to be difficult, if not impossible, for the conference to bridge.

Great uneasiness is manifest throughout conference circles because of the crisis, which, with the unsettled over the straits and status of minorities, indicates that the conference is fast approaching a climax and that both sides are preparing for a final showdown.

MASONIC BODY GETS CHARTER HERE TONIGHT

Twin City Council to Officially Receive Charter and Elect Officers

The Twin City Council, Royal and Select Masters, will officially receive its charter at the Masonic temple here tonight. Following this there will be initiation and election of officers of the new Masonic body of Bismarck and Mandan.

The Twin City Council was projected several months ago, and has existed thus far by dispensation. With the official delivery of the charter it will rank as one of the permanent Masonic bodies of the two cities.

Under the plan of organization officers are chosen both from Bismarck and Mandan, and a rotating temple here tonight. Following this there will be initiation and election of officers of the new Masonic body of Bismarck and Mandan.

The program for tonight will open with a supper at 6 p. m. There will be informal talks, followed by the regular lodge work.

NOMINATION OF NEW JUSTICE TO COME SOON

Washington, Dec. 27.—President Harding is expected to send to the nomination of a successor to Justice Pitney, of the supreme court who has tendered his resignation to take effect January 1. Retirement of Justice Pitney will create the fourth vacancy on the supreme court bench which President Harding has been called on to fill.

Two names, those of Governor Miller of New York, recently defeated for re-election, and Chief Justice Von Moschak of the Pennsylvania supreme court have been most prominently mentioned as possible successors to Justice Pitney.

SUPREME COURT DENIES MOTION

The supreme court has denied a motion for new trial in the suit of J. R. Daniels against John Barton Payne, agent of the United States government. The case came from Hettinger county where the plaintiff obtained \$10,000 damages for injuries suffered in a railroad accident when the roads were under federal control. The supreme court held the evidence was not insufficient to sustain the verdict.

POLITICAL SPOTLIGHT IS ON WILSON AS HE REACHES HIS 66th BIRTHDAY

PLANS QUIET DADY
Washington, Dec. 28.—Former President Wilson, planning a quiet observance of the occasion in his S. street home was receiving congratulations today on his sixty-sixth birthday.

The only scheduled event of the day for the former president was the visit of a delegation from the Woodrow Wilson Foundation at 3 o'clock, to extend birthday greetings and inform him of the progress made by the foundation in raising the \$1,000,000 fund to be used in perpetuating the ideals enunciated by him while president.

It was announced at a meeting of the foundation's board of trustees in New York yesterday that \$800,000 of the amount had been contributed with another \$100,000 expected in reports not yet in hand.

By Harry Hunt
NEA Staff Correspondent

Washington, Dec. 28.—His sixty-sixth birthday anniversary—Dec. 28, 1922—finds Woodrow Wilson again in the edge of the political spotlight.

Whether that spotlight again will swing to put the former president in the center of its radiance is to many the most engaging question before America today.

There seems little doubt that Wilson today is physically better than at any time since his collapse in 1919.

Though his left side still is partly paralyzed, Wilson now is able to stand without his cane and he even walks a few steps in his garden without its aid. His color is better. He has taken on weight.

Abreast of Affairs
And there are evidences that his stronger physical condition is permitting a more active following of national affairs.

Wilson has been writing letters on public questions—notably on the late elections. Also his Armistice Day speech to admirers gathered at his home revealed he does not yet concede defeat in the cause in which he sacrificed his health, and indicated his expectation that American participation in world affairs would become the dominating issue in 1924.

Wilson unquestionably is the leader of the Democratic party today. His hold on the minds and hearts of the rank and file of his party has been strengthened by his illness and by the difficulties in which the world has found itself the last two years.

Will Guide 1924 Politics
It seems certain Wilson will lay down the lines on which the Democratic party will attempt its comeback in 1924 and that his influence on the choice of candidates will be most powerful.

"But for his remaining seated," said Georges Clemenceau after his recent call on the ex-president, "he was the same Wilson I knew in Paris. Slightly fatter, nothing else. He showed himself thoroughly abreast of affairs."

Of Wilson's famous 14 points—his creed for establishing world peace—Clemenceau said: "When I mentioned them. And Wilson's face lit up. He was a firm believer in their ultimate triumph."

FRENCH SHIP IS BATTERED

New York, Dec. 27.—The French liner Savoie, arriving here today after the roughest voyage in her history, reported the possible loss at sea of the steamship Tudorstar, bound from Seattle, Wash., for Glasgow. The Tudorstar is operated by the Blue Star line of the Union Cold Storage company.

STRONG "DRY" FIGHT PLANNED

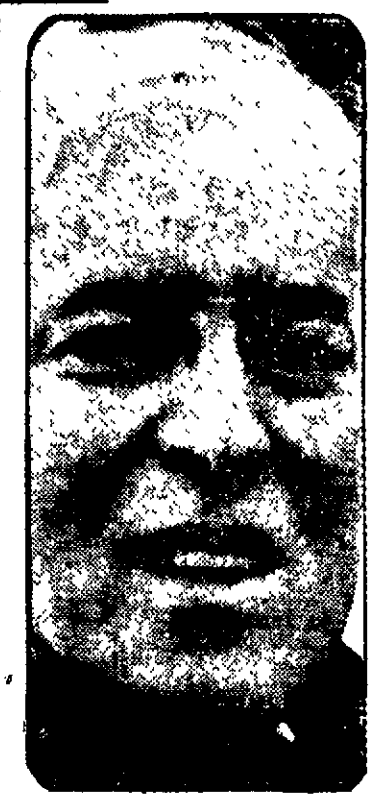
Federal Officers to be Stationed in Many Cities

Minneapolis, Dec. 28.—Drastic enforcement throughout Minnesota during the year 1923 with the establishing of prohibition offices in the principal cities of the state was announced today by S. B. Quale, state prohibition director. The plan is a new prohibition director. The plan is a new prohibition director.

New prohibition offices under the jurisdiction of the state director's office will be established at St. Paul, Winona, Duluth, Mankato and Fergus Falls. They will be opened January 1.

GIVEN TITLE OF MONSIGNORE

Huron, S. D., Dec. 27.—Rev. Father D. F. Desmond, pastor of St. Martin's Catholic church here received a token of appreciation of his twenty-five years service in the local parish from Pope Pius on Christmas day in the form of the title of Monsignore. Father Desmond although well along in years is still active in his parish and conducts the services of his church in the same manner as he did 25 years ago.



WOODROW WILSON

STATE TO PAY INTEREST BILL ON JANUARY 1

More Than \$261,000 in Semi-Annual Interest Payments To Go Out

The state of North Dakota will cut an "interest melon" on January 1 when payment of \$261,000.00 interest upon state bonds become due. Employees of the office of the state treasurer already have begun to mail out interest checks on registered bonds, while interest coupons on the coupon bonds will begin rolling in this week.

The total amount to be paid is divided between \$4,048.00 on old bonds of the state, while the most of the money is to be paid on bonds issued under the so-called industrial program. The interest is for a six-months period.

The interest payments are:
Refunding bonds of 1893, 4 per cent \$ 600.00
Revenue bonds of 1905, 4 per cent 2,600.00
Refunding bonds of 1897, 4 per cent 840.00
(Total amount of bonds \$262,000.)
Bank of North Dakota, \$2,000,000 capital stock bonds 50,000.00
Mill and elevator bonds, \$2,200,000 at 6 and 5-1-2 per cent 63,500.00
Real estate bonds, Series A, total, \$2,500,000 at 5-8-4 per cent 71,875.00
Real estate bonds, Series B, total \$3,000,000 at 6 per cent 90,000.00
\$700,000 additional real estate bonds issued within month 1,605.00

Although there are deficits in the Bank of North Dakota and the Mill and Elevator bond payment funds, State Treasurer John Steen declared that all bond interest would be paid promptly. There are surpluses in two of the funds. The balance in these funds follows: Mill and elevator bond payment, \$199,211.23; real estate, \$120,258.32; Bank of North Dakota, \$13,738.22; old bonds, \$35,140.18.

With a healthy balance of \$3,158,600.00 in the state funds which has been built up from recent tax payments and an additional \$322,500 on certificates of deposit, Treasurer Steen is not worrying about how he will be able to cut the "interest melon" on January 1.

HUNT SLAYER OF GIRL, 10

Found Dead in New York House; Evidence of Struggle

New York, Dec. 28.—Twenty detectives today bent their efforts to discover a clue to the murder of pretty 10 year old Theresa McCarthy who was slain by a shot through the heart while playing alone with her toys at her home in Brooklyn yesterday.

The girl's mother found her dead, clad in a night dress when she returned from a visit of a few hours. The house was locked and the windows closed. There were no signs of a struggle or of ill treatment.

No weapon was found. Powder marks on the flesh indicated she had been shot at close range. Not a finger print or a foot print could be found and the police admitted that they faced a baffling mystery, especially as there was no motive.

The only trail—a slender one—was a vague story told by one of Theresa's playmates that a sailor had been seen following her recently.

RECEIPTS OF GRAIN FELL AT MINNEAPOLIS

In Spite of Bumper Crop, Car Lack Keeps Receipts Below 10-Year Average

PRICES ARE INCREASED

Survey of Month Shows Conditions in the Northwest Generally Improved

Receipts of grain at Minneapolis and head of the lakes in November continued below the 10-year average, in spite of the great grain crop throughout the Northwest, according to the monthly letter of John H. Rich, chairman and federal reserve agent of Minneapolis.

"Comparisons made with receipts last year show the effect of the October car shortage," says Mr. Rich. "Whereas the receipts of all grains combined were 8 per cent lower in October this year than last, the receipts in November were 57 per cent larger than last year. The decline in receipts was relatively greater at Duluth-Superior than at Minneapolis for all grains except rye and flax between October and November, owing to the approach of the close of navigation for the winter. Shipments from Duluth-Superior were much larger in November than in October for all grains except wheat."

Pressure of supplies or its lack had a decided effect on prices at the northwestern terminal markets during November, Mr. Rich says. All the grains showed increases. In median prices and all of the livestock classes showed declines except lambs.

Corn Increases Sharply.
The increase in the median price of corn at Minneapolis amounted to 8-1-2 cents between October and November, and corn at this time is selling at the highest price since November, 1920. Oats increased 2-1-2 cents and are selling at a higher price than at any time since January, 1921, owing to the relief from abnormal stocks in terminal elevators, the report says. The increases for other grains are flax, 12 cents; rye, 8-1-2 cents; wheat, 7-5-8 cents, and barley, 11-1-2 cents.

While lack of shipments or reduction of stocks causes increases in grain prices, livestock prices at South St. Paul were depressed because of an abnormally large supply of every kind except sheep. Veal calves, butcher steers, hogs, stock and feeder steers declined but lambs increased 60 cents per hundred between the two months.

Much Livestock Received.
Livestock receipts at South St. Paul showed receipts of hogs increased about one-third larger than the ten-year average; cattle receipts were only slightly larger, and receipts of calves were more than double. Sheep receipts were less than two-thirds of normal, and the whole movement of sheep this fall has been abnormally low.

Prices of produce at wholesale in Minneapolis showed more increases than declines.

Employment offered in the Northwest district will absorb nearly all but the "panhandlers" who are "always with us," Mr. Rich states. Meat packing, steel manufacturing and copper mining show gains; but the milling industry is affected by restricted transportation facilities, the report says.

Business failures reported by R. G. Dunn and Company for the Northwest declined slightly in number and more considerably in liabilities between October and November. The number of failures was one-third less and liabilities two-thirds less than a year ago.

SEES PASSAGE OF BONUS BILL

Legion Commander Says it Is Practically Assured

Fort Worth, Tex., Dec. 28.—Passage of the adjusted compensation bill at this session of congress is practically assured, according to Alvin M. Owsley, national commander of the American Legion, who spoke at a luncheon in his honor here Wednesday and attended a session of the state executive committee of the legion.

Even should the bill fail at this session, that it will be carried for the next session is already certain, he said, as the requisite number of senators and representatives already have been obtained to pass it over a presidential veto.

TOWNLEY VISITS IN BISMARCK

A. C. Townley, former president of the National Nonpartisan League, and H. A. Peddock, former secretary of the Industrial Commission, were in Bismarck yesterday on business. They met a few friends here, but kept the nature of their business secret.

M'CUTCHAN'S FATE PLACED WITH JURORS

Get Case of Man Charged With Murder Shortly Before Noon

SELF-DEFENSE QUESTION

Lengthy Arguments Are Made to Jury in Slope Murder Case

Special to the Tribune
Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 28.—The jury in the trial of Dave McCutchan, an Slope county farmer, charged with first degree murder for the fatal shooting of Walter Inman, Amidon pool hall proprietor, on the Gellett farm near Amidon on March 22 last was retired for deliberation after receiving the charge from the court at 10:30 o'clock this morning.

The trial, which held considerable interest on the Missouri slope has been in progress for the last two weeks.

Attorneys in the case consumed practically all afternoon yesterday in presenting their final arguments to the jury and when court was convened this morning all that remained was Judge Thomas H. Pugh's charge to the jury. Judge Pugh went into detail to explain and define the law of self defense—defense upon which the defendant based his pleadings.

Killed Amidon Man
Mr. McCutchan shot and killed Mr. Inman at the Gellett farm on the 22nd of March this year, following an altercation over possession of a farm which the former had subleased from Leslie Austin, who had the place the year before. Mr. McCutchan had taken possession of the farm on advice from an attorney that his lease was valid and on the morning of March 22 Walter Inman, together with Oscar Erickson and others came to the Gellett farm to take possession over McCutchan.

An altercation between Inman and McCutchan ensued in which the latter asserted he took a severe beating at the hands of the former before resorting to the use of the gun which resulted in Inman's death.

Nine Killed When Fort Blows Up

(By the Associated Press.)
Rome, Dec. 28.—Nine men were killed when a fort near Trent blew up during the night. The disaster was caused by the accidental explosion of a shell which set off the other ammunition. Debris from the demolished fort was scattered for miles around.

ELECTRIC CASES UP TOMORROW

Rail Commission to Hear Plea For Lower Rates

Hearings in the cases involving the rates charged by the Hughes Electric Company of Bismarck will be heard before the state railroad commission here, beginning tomorrow at 10 a. m. P. O. Hellstrom will appear for petitioners who instituted the case on their petition for a decreased rate. C. L. Young was named special counsel by the city commission. The company has petitioned also for revision of valuation.

Results of an examination of the company's books will be given by the accountant for the commission.

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FORMER MAYOR OF MER ROUGE FIGHTS EXTRADITION TO LOUISIANA IN CONNECTION WITH PARISH FEUD

Bastrop, La., Dec. 28.—Chief interest in the Morehouse kidnapping case was shifted today to New Orleans where Governor John M. Parker was to hold a conference with Attorney General Cocco and special prosecutor St. Clair Adams, appointed by the Governor to assist the Attorney General's office in presenting the state's case at the opening hearing to be held here January 5 to discuss policies to be adopted at the hearing.

A warrant for the arrest of Dr. E. M. McKoin, who is held in Baltimore at the request of Governor Parker, was issued here yesterday on instructions from Attorney General Cocco. Hearing on a writ of habeas corpus obtained yesterday by Dr. McKoin to prevent his return to Mer Rouge for questioning in connection with the kidnapping and killing of Watt Daniel's and Thomas Richards was to come up today in Baltimore. The issuance of the warrant, it was believed by state officials here, would make it unnecessary for the state to show its hand by producing whatever evidence it may have against the Doctor in its attempt to have him brought to Louisiana.

Kidnaped by Mob
Advices from Baton Rouge stated requisition papers would be issued as soon as the warrant was received.

The masked mob which kidnaped Daniels and Richards was composed of about 75 men, according to one of the investigators who has been following the case closely for several months. Members of the mob, the investigators asserted, came from the parishes of Morehouse, Ouachita, West Carroll, Richland and Franklin and from two counties in Arkansas. The identity of practically every member of the mob, it was said, is known to the authorities and it was expected that many more arrests in addition to those already made will follow.

HEAR ARGUMENTS
Baltimore, Md., Dec. 28.—The judges will hear arguments today on the writ of habeas corpus obtained yesterday by counsel for Dr. E. M. McKoin, former mayor of Mer Rouge Louisiana, who was arrested here Tuesday on a murder charge preferred by Governor John M. Parker of Louisiana. The arrest of the Doctor is the second in the Morehouse Parish kidnapping cases of last August, which resulted in the death of two Mer Rouge men.

Shortly after receipt of a telegram from Governor Parker last night, requesting local police officials to not let Dr. McKoin pending arrival of extradition papers, word was received from Bastrop that a warrant for Dr. McKoin's arrest had been issued by Attorney General Cocco of Louisiana. It is believed the warrant, it is believed, will make it unnecessary for authorities to make known their evidence against Dr. McKoin in order to extradite him, as well as forestalling any attempt to release Dr. McKoin on bail.

Many telegrams from friends of Dr. McKoin have been received offering moral and financial support.

Dr. E. M. McKoin, former mayor of Mer Rouge, Louisiana, today lost his fight for immediate release on habeas corpus proceedings. He was remanded "without prejudice" to give the Louisiana authorities opportunity to present their case.

Dr. McKoin was arrested here Tuesday at the request of Governor Parker of Louisiana who accused him of murder in connection with the Morehouse Parish kidnapping last August.

YOUTH, 22 YEARS OLD, SUICIDES

Middletown, Ohio, Dec. 28.—Herbert Saxe Umy, 22 years of age, son of the Rev. Ralph B. Umy, pastor of Bellevue Methodist Episcopal church of Pittsburgh, Penn., was found dead in his room in a boarding house here last night, the silken cord of his bath robe knotted about his neck. Suicide from strangulation was the verdict of the coroner's inquest.

PRODUCTION OF LIGNITE IS SOARING

More than 3,000 Tons a Day Being produced in Mines North of City on Soo

More than 100 cars of lignite coal are being produced each day by mines north of Bismarck, most of the production coming from the Washburn Lignite Coal Company.

Wilton and from four mines at Garrison according to Superintendent S. W. Derrick of the Soo line. The movement of coal, and other business, is the heaviest for this period of the year in several years on the Missouri River Division.

The absence of heavy snowfall and the recent mild weather has aided the transportation, and car movement is more free than for sometime, it was said.

About 60 cars of coal are being produced each day at Wilton, 40 cars from four mines at Wilton and in addition there are two small independent producers near Garrison, four cars a day being shipped at Bitumina, between Fairbairn and Washburn, and probably three more cars a day from various small mines operated by farmers. There also are numerous wagon mines supplying local trade. The total production north of here is more than 3,000 tons a day.

Cars are now coming freely for the movement of grain, Mr. Derrick said.

FILIBUSTER ON BORAH PLAN OF CONFERENCE

Plan Involves Scheme to Solve Economic Problems in Europe

HARDING FAVORS MOVE

Has Been Negotiating For Session to Give Aid to Europe

PRESIDENT WRITES
Washington, Dec. 28.—President Harding informed the senate by letter addressed to Senator Lodge today that action by it on Senator Borah's plan for an economic and disarmament conference was not advisable in view of what the executive branch of the government already is doing "to be helpful."

Just what the steps already taken or in contemplation by the administration may be, however, the President did not reveal. He said members of congress could learn if they inquired in the proper way, but that state department communications on so delicate a subject obviously could not be "bulletined from day to day."

Senator Lodge later told the senate that he could not state "explicitly" the nature of the administration negotiations for a conference, but was authorized to say they did not include the cancellation of the allied debt. He said President Harding told him the administration was opposed to cancellation, but inclined to favor longer amortization and interest payment.

Washington, Dec. 28.—The end of the senate fight over the Borah proposal for the calling of an international economic and disarmament conference by the United States was not in sight today as friends and opponents of the proposal prepared to continue debate on it.

Senator Johnson, Republican, California, planned to speak in opposition to the proposal, presented as an amendment to the naval appropriation bill while other addresses were expected to be delivered by Senator McNary, Republican, Oregon, who is understood to favor the amendment and by Senator King, Democrat Utah.

Action on the proposal went over yesterday after four hours of debate by Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the Republican floor leader in a speech in which the first official disclosure was made that President Harding now is negotiating toward an international conference for the consideration of European economic problems, Senator Lodge, in opposing the amendment as now drawn urged the president be not embarrassed in his efforts in this direction.

While the state department declined to add anything to the bare announcement by Senator Lodge it was learned that President Harding was considering seriously transmitting a letter to the senate giving information of his negotiations before any possible intervention from congress which might operate to hinder his efforts. The president held an hour's conference with Secretary Hughes late yesterday, although there was no intimation at its conclusion that it relates to the senate discussion.

Chairman Lodge of the senate foreign relations committee, which yesterday opened the attack of administration senators on Senator Borah's proposal for a new economic and disarmament conference was summoned to the White House today and after a long talk with President Harding indicated that the president probably would send a letter to the capitol during the day outlining his attitude toward the conference plan.

As he left the White House, Senator Lodge declined to throw further light on his announcement in senate debate yesterday that the president already was negotiating to bring about a new international discussion of the world economic situation. It was believed in some quarters, however, that a part of what the administration is doing in that direction might be revealed in any letter the president might decide to send to senate leaders.

FLEET TO RETURN

(By the Associated Press.)
Malta, Dec. 28.—As a result of unsatisfactory news from Lausanne, it is understood that the ships of the British Mediterranean fleet which arrived here on December 23, for a three weeks' visit, have received orders to return to the Near East.

Naval authorities were reticent today, but it was believed that Admiral De Robeck, commander-in-chief of the Mediterranean fleet was prepared to leave this afternoon with all available vessels.

The meeting of the commission of calculations of the Near East conference failed to make progress at today's session. Some of the allied delegations on leaving the hall said the conference had reached a deadlock pending the arrival of the new Turkish instructions from Angora.

BOND FURNISHED BY C. R. JONES; CUT TO \$8,000

C. R. Jones, bound to the federal grand jury, was released from custody here last night on \$8,000 bond. The bond fixed by U. S. Commissioner Fort at \$15,000 and the United States District Attorney later authorized a reduction in the bond to \$8,000. Friends of Mr. Jones arranged for bond which was presented in the form of a cashier's check, Mr. Fort said.

Jones will not be prosecuted in state courts, the case being removed from the jurisdiction of the state court on assumption of jurisdiction by the federal court.

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News of Our Neighbors

Glencoe-Livona

Butt Yetter and family have moved onto the old Corbin place for the winter.

Mrs. Andrew Irvine and little daughter returned home from the hospital last Tuesday.

R. H. Woodland, C. A. Carlson, Chas. Rathborn and Chas. Clark shipped hogs from Fort Rice last Tuesday.

Mrs. Allier Muehlberg and little daughter Josephine of Ladysmith, Wis., visited with relatives in Livona last week. Mrs. Muehlberg was formerly Miss Maggie Baker. They will spend the Christmas holiday at the Baker home in Bismarck.

John Otterson, visited Burr Oak School No. 3 last Tuesday.

John Wilde transacted business in Hazelton last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Koch spent Sunday, the 17th, with home folks at Livona.

Geo. Johnson of Cannon Ball, visited at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. J. Easton, last Sunday.

William Williams, "Uncle Billie," is spending Christmas with his mother at Staples, Minn.

Donald MacDonald made a trip to Fort Rice last Tuesday and called on friends in the south Glencoe vicinity on his way home.

John Grenz was a business visitor to Fort Rice last Tuesday.

Friends of Jay Palmer will be interested to know that he has recently married at his home in Hartford, Conn. Mr. Palmer taught the school a few years ago and has many friends here that wish him well.

L. J. Easton took a four-horse load of wheat to Hazelton last Friday.

A large crowd attended the Christmas tree and program given at Livona school last Friday. The program was large and well rendered and all report a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Suverly, Mr. and Mrs. James Burbage and family, and Miss Minnie Wilde were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Koch of Fort Rice last Sunday. A fine dinner was served and the table was beautifully arranged and decorated with the season's colors.

Edward Easton is spending Christmas with home folks.

Andrew Irvine passed through Livona last Sunday.

Quite a crowd from this side attended the dance at Fort Rice Friday night, Dec. 15. A fine time was reported.

Joseph Mills is erecting a new barn on the old homestead at Livona.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Suverly had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Wilde and daughter.

Miss Alice Carlson is spending her Christmas vacation with her parents. Miss Carlson is a student in the Bismarck high school.

Mr. and Mrs. James Burbage were shopping in Fort Rice last Monday.

Mr. Hoskins and Mr. Keefer came over from Hazelton country with three teams Tuesday of this week. They purchased dry wood from John Wilde.

Vivian Yetter is coming home Wednesday to spend her vacation in the parental home.

Donald MacDonald was a passenger on the stage Friday, enroute for Bismarck to spend Christmas.

All four schools of Burr Oak district and Mrs. L. Ferguson's school of Telfer, joined in a large program and tree at the Glencoe church Saturday evening, Dec. 23. About one hundred and seventy-five were present and a fine time was reported. Coffee, cake and sandwiches were served in the basement of the church after the tree and program.

Miss Ellen Smith arrived Friday eve from Ayr, N. D., to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith of Glencoe.

WING

Mr. Willard Hubbell who is attending school in Jamestown, arrived home last Saturday to spend the holidays with his parents.

Mr. Wallace Anderson, who is attending school at Wilton, is home for the holidays.

Miss Edna Ross of Bismarck is here to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Lester Knowles.

Mr. John Miller has purchased the general merchandise stock of Seaton & Wilkinson. We have been unable to learn whether John intends to engage in the mercantile business or close out the stock.

J. A. Kohler has been on the sick list for several days, but at this writing is able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Graham ate Xmas dinner with Mrs. Graham's mother at McKenzie, and while there they drove to Bismarck and visited

Mrs. Graham's father, C. E. Crum, who has been quite ill, but is on the road to a speedy recovery.

Miss Viola Hagen, our obliging telephone operator, spent Xmas with her parents at Wilton.

County Commissioner Grant Palms was a business visitor in Wing last Saturday.

Mr. Oscar Whitestock is clerking for John Millyer, Oscar is an all around man and good at whatever you may put him at.

Miss Qualham, principal of our schools, is spending her vacation in Bismarck.

Miss Violet Muchler is visiting relatives in Bismarck this week.

Miss Shlinker left last Saturday to spend Xmas with her parents at Goodrich.

Mrs. Humphrey Bailey, who is in a hospital at Bismarck, is much improved and many friends will be pleased to learn.

Mr. Herb Cory contemplates opening up a harness shop at Driscoll in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. John Glanville, Sr., are going to Van Hook in the near future to spend some time with their son, who is station agent there.

The Wing Sunday school had a Xmas tree in the school building Sunday evening. They had a very fine program which showed that those who trained them spent considerable time with the children.

Mr. Claude J. Christgan, of Parshall, spent a few days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kopplin. Mr. Christgan is a brother of Mrs. Kopplin. From here he went to Southern Minnesota to spend Xmas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kopplin spent Xmas with Con Kopplin and family at Tuttle.

Mr. G. A. Hubbell and son Willard, Mr. and Mrs. Edgerton, and Mrs. Mitchell drove out to the church northeast of town Xmas eve and took in the exercises there, they report the exercises as exceptionally fine.

The weather was very mild on Xmas day and many enjoyed drives to different parts of the country visiting relatives and friends. It is very seldom that we have such mild weather on Xmas day.

BALDWIN

The Christmas program which was given in the hall Friday evening was one of the best entertainments ever held in Baldwin. An enthusiastic audience greeted the performance and from beginning to end showed how much the program was enjoyed. Santa and a fine Christmas tree loaded with gifts added to the many attractions, and at the close of the entertainment the children were treated to candy and nuts and the gifts were distributed. The teachers, Mrs. Hartman and Miss Renfrow deserve much credit for the pleasure they gave and the way the program was carried out, and the work done by the scholars proves they are equal to any emergency. The hall was crowded, many having to stand in the aisles. The people of Baldwin feel that the large crowd was partly due to the notice given in the Tribune and thank it for the same.

Christmas services were held in the Lutheran church Sunday morning and a large audience were present.

Clarence Ottow and William Benent, local cashiers, were week end visitors in the capital city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Diedfle and little son, Reuben, took the train Saturday night for Bismarck where they spent the week end at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ida Glece and family. They returned home Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gerke were Sunday evening guests at the H. G. Higgins home. The evening was spent in playing whist.

Joe Parsons who makes his home with the Van Couch family near here took the train the latter part of the week for Mandan returning early in the week. Mr. Parsons was examining some land near Mandan for some parties who contemplated purchasing it for a coal proposition. After making a thorough examination Mr. Parsons considered the land was not suitable for the purpose and the deal was called off. Mr. Parsons is an old time coal miner having operated a mine north of Baldwin for a term of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Cash Mountney were Saturday evening guests at the Richard Borer home. The evening was spent in playing cards.

Arnold Rupp and wife motored out to the Charlie Spitzer farm Saturday. They were accompanied by Miss Edna Spitzer who had been an overnight guest at their home.

Mrs. Olaf Lundin and Children, Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Olson and family, Albin Thysell and family and Ira Borkhart were some of the Arnold folks who came up to hear the school program.

Miss Ludina Spitzer is spending the holiday vacation at the Arnold Rupp home, the guest of her cousins Florence and Emma Rupp.

Christmas being a holiday, the stores were all closed and everybody took a day off. The passen-

ger train came, however, and the postmaster, Mr. Poole, kept the post office open until noon to accommodate the people who wanted to get their mail.

Miss Tess Ward was a caller in Washburn the fore part of the week.

Mrs. Tess Ward and Miss Clara Satter were callers in Regan Thursday and Friday.

Walter Simmonds of the Painted Woods district was a business visitor here the latter part of the week.

H. W. Rupp was a caller here the last of the week.

Lawrence Fisher drove in from the farm Thursday on a business mission.

Andrew Falkenstein who has been working on the road near the new Missouri river bridge arrived the last of the week to spend the holiday season at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Falkenstein, who live on a farm near here.

William Fricke was a business caller in our city Friday.

Mrs. Julius Myers returned home Thursday morning after a pleasant visit with her people who live across the river.

The Misses Emma, Freda, Mathilda and Edna Spitzer who attend high school at Wilton are home for the holidays.

Miss Alma Stundemo spent several days in the capital city returning home Friday morning.

Jake Diele hauled a load of turkeys to Bismarck Wednesday. Turkeys are not as high as they were before Thanksgiving.

Oscar Satter left the fore part of the week for Bismarck where he took in the army goods sale and visited friends.

Louis Spitzer hauled several loads of wheat to the Baldwin elevators this week.

Robert Nelson and E. S. Strandemo were business callers here the latter part of the week.

F. C. Nelson, farmer, of Croftwell township, was a business caller in Baldwin one day this week.

Herman Kickul was a caller in our city Saturday night.

Mrs. Cleo Hartman teacher of one of the lower grades left Saturday morning for Turtle Lake where she will visit over the holidays at the home of her parents.

George Swick ran into a big rut while driving his car and broke the cam shaft. The car had to be hauled in for repairs.

Miss Edna Renfrow left Monday for Turtle Lake and vicinity where she will spend the holidays visiting friends and relatives.

Ludwick Files and Mrs. Files were shopping in Baldwin Friday.

Carl Schultz, who farms the Baumgart place a few miles south of here was a business caller in Baldwin the latter part of the week. He came in to sell some turkeys.

F. H. Schroeder was in from the farm the fore part of the week.

Ed. Lewis was a caller here the fore part of the week.

Jake Spitzer and family were in Baldwin Friday night.

Albert Larson has moved on the Sheldon farm four miles north of town.

Harold Olson and sister Miss Edna were callers in Baldwin Saturday morning from the Arnold district.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rupp and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Monroe and

Freed



Authorities have freed Miss Lillian Moore, above, of Long Beach, Cal., after they had held her in connection with the slaying of Walter Bulow, manager of the San Pedro Shipowners Association. The girl, police say told them she shot Bulow after she learned he was married and had deceived her.

family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Swick Christmas day.

Louis Klawitter of Burnt Creek township was a caller here Saturday afternoon.

George Whittit, farmer, was transacting business in our city Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gerke entertained a party of Mandan friends Christmas day.

Frank Kooker, Sr., was a business visitor in Baldwin the latter part of the week.

Albin Nostrum was mingling with Baldwin folks Saturday.

J. R. Lamb drove in with a steer Saturday which he sold to the local butcher.

Merl Bentley was doing his weekly trading in Baldwin Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Blackreid has returned from the capital city after a few days' visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rogers of Pettibone were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mountenay.

H. W. Rupp entertained a number of friends at their country home near here Christmas.

E. E. Strandemo and family were Monday evening guests at the H. G. Higgins home.

Horace Ward and family, Grandma Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blackreid were Christmas guests at the Percy Freeman home.

Mr. Graham, local elevator manager, and son Foss were guests of friends in Wilton Christmas.

Miss Edith Rupp, who teaches school near Menoken, is spending the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Rupp.

Nels Anderson and family left Saturday night when they spent the week end with friends in Bismarck.

W. C. Gerke made a trip to Mandan Tuesday morning.

Miss Alice Swanson who has been making her home for the past two years with her brother, Otto Swanson and family, left Tuesday evening for points in Oregon where she will visit during the winter months.

George Helling and wife of Bismarck spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Poole and family.

Little Poole who was badly burned by an alcohol torch recently is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Strandemo left Friday for Detroit, Minn., where they (Continued on Page 4)

Prize Canary Heard by Radio



Radio fans who happened to listen in on a Chicago broadcasting station recently heard the best trained voice in the canary kingdom. It was that of "Baby Grand," declared world's champion roller canary at the International Roller contest held here. Frank Zager, its owner, is shown listening while "Baby Grand" broadcasts trills.

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ASSETS ROAD PROGRAM WILL SAVE TAXES

Good Roads Association Makes Possible \$1,500,000 Reduction, Kaufuss Says

A reduction in taxes of \$1,500,000 a year is made possible through the North Dakota Good Roads association legislative program, it is declared by J. E. Kaufuss, secretary, in a statement Mr. Kaufuss outlines the situation as follows:

"Recently and a year ago, Governor Nestos requested county and other public officials to economize on public expenditures and to reduce taxes. No doubt he will urge that upon the legislature also.

"There appears to be a general desire that the people be relieved of the heavy tax burden. "\$1,500,000 a year tax reduction is possible through these measures. To date, and since 1917, the counties have provided about \$5,000,000 or \$10,000,000 a year to secure state aid and federal aid on highways. By the association's program state fund will be provided to meet federal aid and counties will be relieved of the necessity of levying \$1,000,000 a year in the future.

Reimburse Counties
"Under the association's plan \$5,000,000 of county funds invested in state highway projects will be reimbursed to them in ten annual installments of \$500,000. A further reduction of county taxes is thus possible by such reimbursements, the total reduction being \$1,500,000 a year.

"With the counties levying about \$2,850,000 a year for highways, the \$1,500,000 means a reduction of over 52 per cent. The total county and township road and bridge levy being about \$4,775,000, the reduction possible is over 31 per cent.

"The total state tax for all purposes being about \$33,000,000, the above reduction will amount to about 5 per cent.

Proposed Method of Financing
"The association proposes to increase the motor vehicle license creating a state highway fund therefrom to operate the state highway department, to reimburse counties as above indicated and to meet future federal aid. State highway financing will thus be transferred from general taxes to the automobile and road user. The increased fees will not be excessive. In fact they will be less than what the average state tax would be on motor vehicles if on the tax list.

"The immediate purpose of the association's measures is to satisfy the requirements of the federal laws so that the state can continue with federal aid for highway improvement."

ONE KILLED FOUR HURT IN COLLISION

Minneapolis, Dec. 28.—One fireman was killed and four firemen were injured in a collision between a triple combination of engine company number one and a couple driven by H. G. Hodapp here today. The accident occurred at Eleventh street and Second avenue south, Minneapolis.

Gus Peterson, assistant engineer, was thrown against a tree and his skull was fractured. He died in an ambulance on the way to a hospital. The accident occurred as the company was answering a fire alarm.

Mary Miles Minter Leaves Mother After Quarrel

Los Angeles, Dec. 28.—Mary Miles Minter, motion picture actress, has left the home of her mother, Mrs. Charlotte Shelby, and has set up her own establishment, according to a story printed in the Los Angeles Times today. A report is current today, according to the Times, that "mother and daughter have quarreled."

Miss Minter said she would be 21 years old next April. At the Shelby residence inquiries about Miss Minter met with the statement she was out on location.

GOES TO JAIL IN WIFE'S STEAD

Aberdeen, S. D., Dec. 28.—Paul Shun was arrested and charged with dealing in illicit liquor. He was released on \$100 bond. Then his wife was arrested on the same charge. Shun failed, however, to find bail money for his wife. Instead, he went to the jail, conferred a moment with an officer and then took his wife's cell. Mrs. Shun was released.

U. C. T. New Year's Dance Saturday night at Grand Pacific Hotel.

JAP POPULATION IS 57 MILLION

(By the Associated Press.)
Tokio, Dec. 28.—The population of Japan proper at the present time is estimated by the national census board to be 57,658,000, compared with a population of 55,961,140 at the census of 1920. This shows that the population increased at the rate of 70,000 yearly, 2,000 daily, or one in every 45 seconds.

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Wagner's Piano, Long Lost, Is Found



The most famous piano in the world, the instrument presented to Richard Wagner by King Ludwig of Bavaria and on which the famous musician composed his greatest music dramas, has been found and is now in New York. Long lost, it was discovered in Germany by Robert H. Prosser, American soldier, Arthur Bodanzky, first conductor of the Metropolitan Opera House, is shown playing.

CHILDREN'S FOOD DOPED WITH POISON

Waukesha, Wis., Dec. 28.—Whether a childish prank or a neighborhood feud is to blame for a "deep laid plot" to spoil the food in two school children's dinner pails with poison, was the problem engaging the attention of the Waukesha county officials today following a hearing in municipal court Wednesday in which three little girls told conflicting stories concerning the use of the poison.

The dinner pail mystery centers around the relations of three families whose children attend district school in the town of Vernon. Testimony at a hearing was that food in the dinner pail of Norma Olson, 11, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Olson, was saturated with poison and that mittens worn by Rose Wachow, 11, daughter of George Wachow, had come in contact with the poison. Evelyn Janovick, 7, had also worn the mittens, it was testified.

Judge James E. Thomas of municipal court today referring to the affair as "kids' tricks" and he said he believed one of the little girls spilled the poison on the food without knowing that the contents of the bottle were poisonous. One of the girls admitted taking a bottle of liquid from her house, he said.

The case has been held open by Judge Thomas to take further testi-

mony of Miss Harriet Calver, a teacher at the school. Meanwhile the affair is the sensation in the school district.

GUARD PORT TO PREVENT LANDING OF BERGDOLL

Pensacola, Fla., Dec. 28.—This port was being guarded here today to prevent the landing of Grover Cleveland Bergdall, alleged slacker who is reported to have left Germany on board a merchant vessel said to be enroute to a gulf port. It is claimed the draft dodger is on board the steamship Jupiter, which was reported due here within three or four days. Port officials are said to be placing little credence in the report and are merely taking the usual precautionary measures.

CHARGED WITH WIFE MURDER

Miller, S. D., Dec. 28.—Arrested on a warrant charging him with the slaying of his wife, A. J. Ferguson is in jail here today awaiting a hearing, which has been set for next Tuesday.

Mrs. Ferguson was found dead in her bed Christmas morning. Her husband's arrest followed late yesterday, and he was committed to jail when he was unable to supply \$10,000 bonds.

DAIRY MEN TO MEET IN FARGO

Date of Convention Is Announced as February 14 and 15

The annual convention of the North Dakota Dairymen's Association will be held this year in Fargo. The date of the convention was announced today by Robert F. Flint, secretary of the association as February 14 and 15. At the same time the North Dakota Ice Cream Manufacturers Association will hold its meetings at Fargo. The dairymen's convention will be held in the rooms of the Fargo Commercial Club.

The subject of the convention this year will be the matters which can best advance the entire dairy interests of North Dakota. The dairy interests of the state will be considered and matters which it is thought will benefit all persons interested will be initiated. The speakers, not yet announced, will be men who have had experience in solving dairy problems. Instead of men skilled in the technical end of education.

Because of leaving the state, Mr. Flint will retire from the office of secretary at the end of this year and the work of the Secretary's position will be carried on by Wm. Page as assistant secretary. Col. E. L. Persons of Minot is president of the Dairymen's Association.

During the two days of the convention there will be contests and scoring of butter from both the creameries and the dairies of the state.

The meeting of the Ice Cream Manufacturers Association will be presided over by W. A. Ampundson of Jamestown, President of that organization.

CHILD'S DEATH PUZZLES POLICE

New York, Dec. 28.—Brooklyn's detectives, puzzled for a solution of the mysterious shooting of Theresa McCarthy, 10 year old school girl in her home Tuesday, took note of the slightly upward course of the .22 caliber bullet that pierced her heart, disclosed by the autopsy, and today inclined more to the theory that another child of similar age was responsible for the tragedy.

The deduction was that the bullet's course would have been downward, rather than upward, had an older and taller person fired the shot and in this belief the search was continued for one of Theresa's playmates frightened into silence by the tragic consequences.

The slain child's mother has been unable to aid the police in identifying any person who thinks may have entered the house to see Theresa while she was alone. She had asked



LUCILLE LA VERNE and LILLIAN GISH in "THE ORPHANS OF THE STORM"

her to permit no boys in the house during her absence.

Scores of mothers and children in the neighborhood have been questioned in an effort to trace the owner of a .22 caliber weapon. The pupils of St. Cecilia's school, nearby, also have been asked to help the detectives but none could recall knowing a child having one.

EDITOR IS ARRESTED

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 28.—D. W. Reed, editor and publisher of the Wyndmere Pioneer is facing the charge of illegal sale and possession of intoxicating liquor, and J. O. Nelson, an apprentice in the shop, is facing the charge of illegal sale of liquor according to an announcement made at the office of the North Dakota federal prohibition department yesterday. The Wyndmere Pioneer is a weekly and is published at Wyndmere, N. Dak.

The arrests were preceded by the confiscation of a five-gallon keg of moonshine at Reed's home and a gallon of alcohol in the print shop. Reed is alleged to have been selling liquor in wholesale quantities.

Prosecution will be in state court.

FROM HETTINGER COUNTY.

J. H. Daniels, Plaintiff and Respondent, vs. John Barton Payne, Agent of the United States Government, Defendant and Appellant.

Syllabus: Upon a second trial of an action for personal injuries the plaintiff recovered \$10,000 damages. A motion was made in the trial court for judgment non obstante, or, in the alternative, for a new trial, which motion was denied. The evidence is examined and it is held that it is not insufficient, as a matter of law.

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to sustain the verdict. Appeal from the judgment of the district court of Hettinger county, Lemke, J.

Judgment affirmed. Opinion of the court by Birdzell, Ch. J. Robinson, J. dissents.

Young, Conmy & Young, Fargo, North Dakota, Attorneys for the Appellant.
Jacobson & Murray, and M. S. Odie, Mott, North Dakota, Attorneys for Respondent.

\$10,000 FIRE LOSS

Belot, Wis., Dec. 28.—One of two fires starting within a half hour last night caused \$10,000 damage to the plant of the Gaston Scale Works and injury to a fireman who plunged from a 45 foot ladder. Fireman Robert Graham suffered a broken arm and other injuries in his fall.

ATLANTIC GALES FATAL TO TWO

Plymouth, England, Dec. 28.—Two fatalities at sea directly attributable to the terrible storms encountered on the Atlantic during the past week were reported by vessels reaching this port today.

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his wife and five children on the German steamer Haimon which arrived from Baltimore, was washed overboard and several members of the crew were seriously injured while the vessel was laboring in the terrific seas. The Necksfield put in at this port before proceeding to Bremerhaven.

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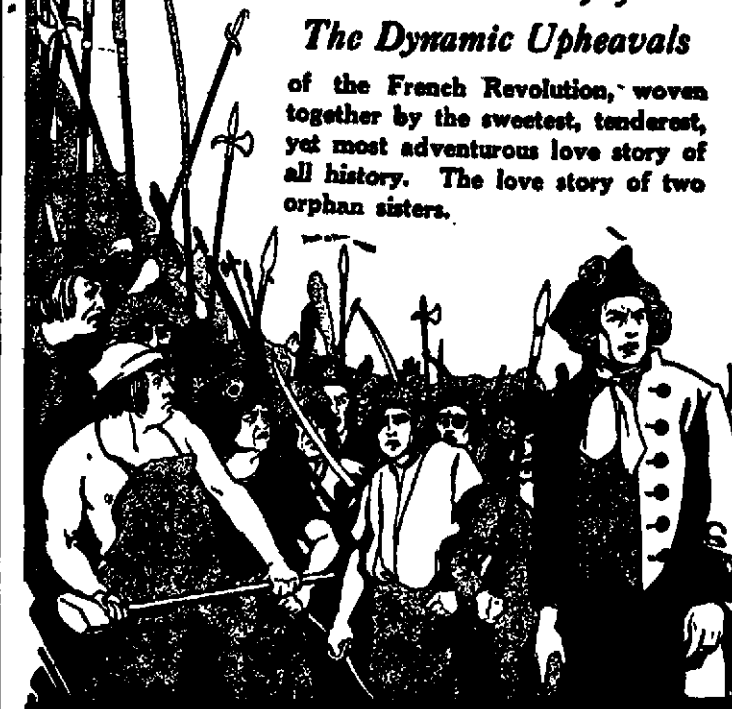
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DEBATE AS TO THE SOLUTION OF THE CITY'S WATER PROBLEM bobs up frequently, a protest is made and occasionally some constructive plan for its solution is offered. The task dies down again, it has been noticeable that a wave of criticism often has been started in certain quarters when some political question is at stake, or when some other interest is threatened.

A move with some definiteness has been made in the offer of the city commission. The commission will of course be supported in a policy intended to prevent a situation arising in which an exorbitant price would be paid for the plant. The City of Bismarck is not engaged in confiscating private property; nor is its business to give away money. Now that a discussion of the problem has been reopened it may as well be continued without interruption, except to keep the discussion from serving a political or private purpose for any individual or group.

THE POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT sustained a loss during the last year of more than \$16,000,000, it is charged by General Dawes of "Hell and Maria" and budget force. The figures are not those of the postoffice department. The report of that department was not, the complaint termed, in "understandable business language." A Chicago business man aided General Dawes in balancing the report of the department and the deficit figure was arrived at.

As a result a group of Chicago business men in a luncheon club meeting adopted a resolution asking the Postmaster-General to render reports in language that should clearly explain the situation in the department. The complaint voiced in this instance has often been raised in the consideration of government business of any kind, from the national bureau to municipal enterprises. The manager of every private business knows that he must report the exact situation to his board of directors, and to the stockholders. But without so stern a check in many public enterprises the tendency is to go into generalities in reports, to make the reports as favorable as possible even though a distorted balance sheet may result.

There ought not to be any quarrel over the financial status of any public enterprise, or any division of the government. An understandable report ought to be issued, and it ought to be specific and correct.

EXPERTS

Frank Laudenberger decided to save money by pulling his own teeth. They bury him at Columbia, Pa., dead from blood poisoning. Did you ever ruin an article or botch a job by trying to do it yourself instead of summoning an expert? This is an age of specialists. An old locksmith, asked to itemize a bill, did it this way: "To opening safe, \$5. To knowing how to open it, \$95.00. Success has a hard time dodging the man who becomes an expert—in almost any line, from business doctor to machine operator.

DANGER

The poisoning of Sir William Horwood, head of Scotland Yard draws attention to something that rarely occurs to most of us—that is, the dangers braved by police. No other occupation is quite as hazardous. Even the patrolman who guards your home at night lives in constant peril of being shot down from ambush. The police get little thanks for their work. Like soldiers, they are and always have been butts of jokes—because human nature chafes under the restraint of authority.

SPANISH

Newspapers in Spain are excited about Senor Rivero's new book, which denies that the battleship Maine was sunk by Spain. After all, what does it matter? The Maine is gone and the Spanish-American War is over forever. You'd think the world has enough trouble on its hands at the present moment, without snoopers eternally excavating the past. Nine-tenths of our international problems are due to exhuming corpses of past deeds. That's one function of "patriotism."

LETTERS

There's a postoffice now for each 58 square miles of the United States. Or roughly, a postoffice for each strip of land 10 miles long and nearly six miles wide. That's a big strip of land. With only one postoffice on it, it reminds you of frontier days. Still, most of us are very close to a postoffice. It emphasizes how we Americans swarm in towns and cities, also how much land there is in the open country for each of us if we cared to live there.

MAGIC

In one night 92 American amateur radio operators send messages that are picked up in Europe. Where is this wireless thing leading? It eliminates distance, shortly will bring the whole world to every radio fan's door. Strange friendships start now, at vast distances, by radio. A common event, later, Radio may be the greatest invention of our lifetime.

STRENGTH

A cotton merchant from Bermuda got pneumonia in New York. He was so weak that nurses had to help him move in bed, says Dr. J. Darwin Nagel. Despite this, the patient suddenly leaps out of bed, rushes to the hotel window and plunges out, falling 10 floors. Another illustration that weakness and strength are in the imagination, forms of self-hypnotism.

EDITORIAL REVIEW

Comments reproduced in this column may or may not express the opinion of The Tribune. They are presented here in order that our readers may have both sides of important issues which are being discussed in the press of the day.

LIMITING WHEAT PRODUCTION

A Washington letter says that Congressman Young, of North Dakota, has prepared an article which is to be published in an early issue of Farm Stock and Home in which he advocates the organized reduction of wheat acreage as a means of regulating the price. The essential feature of the plan as outlined is the creation of a federal government organization which shall operate as a marketing agency, and which shall also secure from farmers pledges to reduce their wheat acreage by 25 per cent, the purpose being to reduce the wheat production of the country to approximately 600,000,000 bushels which will suffice for domestic consumption, eliminating the several hundred million bushels which we usually produce as a surplus. It is proposed that, upon the receipt of such pledges from 75 per cent of the growers, the bureau shall guarantee to them the price which is agreed on in advance as satisfactory, leaving outside of the benefits to be enjoyed the 25 per cent who do not sign. This, it is believed, will result in the pledging of the entire acreage. Various details of the plan are worked out in an interesting way which it would not be proper to describe in advance of the regular publication of the article.

Limitation of wheat acreage, we believe, would be an excellent thing, but limitation by pledge to the government would involve so many hazardous features that it will be well to proceed slowly in considering it. The first objection that presents itself is a very important one, and to many it will of itself be conclusive. The plan proposed would introduce into our system an element not only foreign, but utterly repugnant to it, namely, the right of the individual to use his own property in his own way and according to his own best judgment of what is really useful and constructive. The American farmer has had a good many things to contend with, but more than any other man he has preserved his personal independence. He has been master of his own acres, and he will not readily accustom himself to a system under which he is subjected to outside dictation as to what he shall plant, and where, and how much.

In sections of Russia there has been for many years a community control over many of the acts of the individual. The village council has decided on the entire farm program for the year, designating the number of acres which peasants should plant, the kind of grain, and prescribing all the details of the season's work. The council decided on the proper time to begin planting, the time to cut hay and to harvest grain. It is said that the peasants were quite happy under this sort of arrangement. They had been born to it and had grown up in it. To them it was natural and normal. But to the American farmer it is neither natural nor normal. And aside from the practical difficulties inherent in the plan, such as the effect which the arbitrary reduction of wheat acreage would have on other production, we believe that the unwillingness of the American farmer to accept a plan so foreign to all his thought an draining would prevent its adoption.

Wheat acreage, we believe, will take care of itself. When the individual becomes convinced that he is devoting more acres to wheat than he can use profitably for that purpose, he will reduce his acreage of his own accord. In most cases this reduction will be accompanied by other changes for which the farmer has made adequate preparation. Whether the total production of the country is more or less, the individual will find himself producing wheat more cheaply because his acre will yield him more bushels.—Grand Forks Herald

In \$50,000 Suit



Mrs. Annabelle Scheer, above, wife of Herbert Scheer, famous Chicago chef who in 1914 killed E. Sonora below hotel employment head, for \$50,000. Scheer charged Sonora staged "petting parties" near his hotel.

THE WHISPER HEARD 'ROUND THE WORLD



ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS

By Olive Barton Roberts

The next person, Dusty Coat the little fairy sandman, sent to Dreamland was Jackie Jumping Mouse.

I don't know whether or not it's because Jack jumps so much in the same time that he gets "extra tired out, but anyway he disappears for months at a time in cold weather, and no doubt that's the reason.

Nancy and Nick and the fairyman had a great time finding him, because, although there was enough snow on the ground to show the tracks of a mosquito, Jack jumped so far as one bound that he only touched the ground every ten feet. He was only as big as a medium sized pickle, but he looked and acted exactly like a kangaroo. His tail was long and thin, and his hind legs, like Kicky Kangaroo's, must have had regular springs in them.

But they found Jackie at last, all huddled up in his house under the sugar maple, looking all blue and pinched with the cold. "Cub id," he called when they rapped. "Whv, Jackie," declared Nancy. "You look dreadful. You've got a dreadful cold." "I do," blinked Jackie, wiping his nose with a hanky he took out of his coat pocket. Oh, yes, he had on a nice red coat that the Browns had made him. "It's by tail," he said. "I can't get a coat that will cover it and I always catch cold in it. There's a hair on it anyway. Brrrrrr." And he shook like an egg-beater. "I thought it was about time I was coming around," declared Dusty Coat briskly, opening up his little bag with a deft finger.

"What have you got there?" piped Jackie curiously, peering at it out of his watery eyes. "Magic—magic stuff. I call it," answered Dusty Coat with a wink at the twins. "It's good for a cold." "Oh let me have sub, will you?" sniffled Jackie. "I—I'd take anything."

So Dusty Coat gave him a pinch and Jackie took a big sniff.

"Soon he was snoring soundly and the twins tucked him into bed for the winter.

"Pleasant dreams" whispered Dusty Coat softly as they all tiptoed out.

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BALDWIN

(Continued from page two) will spend the holiday season visiting friends and relatives, returning home early in the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Borner and sons, Paul and Noel, were Monday evening guests at the C. H. Montana home.

Arthur Lenihan, farmer, was transacting business in Baldwin Wednesday afternoon.

Jay Couch made a trip out in the country Thursday evening.

Mrs. Van Couch has returned from the capital city, where she spent the week end visiting friends and shopping.

Miss Clara Satter who has been keeping house for her brother Morris during the absence of his wife has returned to her home.

Theodore Borkhart of the Naughton district was a business caller in our city Tuesday.

J. S. Fevold of the Farmers' bank returned from the capital city the fore part of the week, where he had been on business.

Richard Koeckle was a caller in Baldwin Tuesday afternoon.

C. W. Spitzer of near Arnold passed through here on his way to the coal mine Wednesday morning.

Mr. Spitzer says the farmers down his way are all hauling coal from the mines finding it much cheaper than shipping it in.

Herbert Little, a nearby farmer, was doing some Christmas trading in our town the latter part of the week.

Quite a number of the Baldwin folks attended the Christmas program which was given at the school near the Fricke place. All report a good time.

Hans Christiansen, farmer, was seen in our midst Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. Rosenbeck and daughter Miss Eileen, who live about twelve miles east of here, were in our city shopping one day last week.

J. M. Thompson, auctioneer and farmer, of near Wilton, was a business caller here the fore part of the week.

Pete Lipps, farmer, was a caller here Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Fred Klavitter of the Burnt Creek district was doing his Christmas trading here one day last week. We think Fred is planning to play Santa Claus the way he was loading up with candy and nuts.

R. A. Loball, farmer, was transacting business in Baldwin Tuesday.

E. G. Nixon left on the train Thursday night for a few days' stay in the capital city.

Cecil Mount was a business caller in the capital city several days last week.

The radio receiving station at J. Watkins' store is a popular place these days and nights. The musical programs and other entertainments being sent by wireless are a never ending wonder to some of the old timers. These programs are heard from practically all over the U. S. One evening our instrument picked up a concert from Calgary, Canada. Mr. Watkins says that the broadcasting stations from the nearby states are not heard so plainly as those sent by stations farther away. This may be due to weather conditions.

EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO

THAT HEATER YOU SOLD ME IS NOT DELIVERING THE HOT WATER YOU SAID IT WOULD. I WANT YOU TO COME ALONG WITH ME TO THE HOUSE AND LOOK IT OVER.



WELL, MR. TRUE MAYBE YOU'VE GIVEN IT A FAIR TRIAL, BUT SOMETIMES A...



cident occurred at the corner of Seventh and Thayer streets. As far as we have been able to learn the damage to both machine and occupants was slight.

The young people who attend high school at Bismarck are all home for the holidays. Among those attending school from this district are: Misses Laura Rupp, Gertrude Fricke, and Dagmar Albertson and the Spitzer girls.

Jake Spitzer was a business caller in Baldwin the latter part of the week.

Fred Wood made a trip to the coal mine Monday.

The roads are good again and the Minot-Bismarck bus line is making its trips regularly.

Mr. Hendricks, who has spent the past week in Baldwin in the interest of his firm, the International Harvester company, took the Minot bus to Bismarck Monday.

Several of our citizens plan to take in the dance at the McKenzie hotel, Bismarck, New Year's.

O. B. Peterson of Naughton township was a business caller in our town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woods were Sunday evening visitors at the Richard Borner home.

Edmund Rupp was a caller in our city Thursday afternoon.

Gus Rupp was a business caller here the fore part of the week.

Postmaster J. C. Poole is ill at his home with an attack of lumbago. During his absence Miss Tess Ward is acting as postmistress.

Olga Kruger who attends school at Bismarck is spending her vacation at the home of her mother.

Lelia Mount who is studying at the Normal school in Valley City arrived the latter part of the week to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mount and family.

Clarence Ottow was a guest at the Freeman home Monday night.

Mrs. J. F. Watkins who teaches school east of here is home for the holiday vacation.

Harold Svaren of Bismarck is in charge of the work being done on the new electric light plant and reports the work progressing as rapidly as might be expected.

Miss Grede Nelson who teaches school some miles from here is spending the vacation period at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Nelson.

Art Fulton is a guest at the Fulton Nelson home this week.

Annie Brown who has been visiting for the past two weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. Libby Brown, left Friday night for Bismarck where she has employment.

Mrs. Palmer Strandemo arrived Friday night to visit at the E. E. Strandemo home and also to attend the Christmas program in the hall.

Fred Schroeder was a business visitor at the Jake Diele home Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smola of Bismarck were Christmas guests at the Gerke home returning to their home in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Schoolcraft spent Christmas with friends in Wilton.

Alfred Albertson arrived from his home at Washburn the latter part of the week to visit at the home of his brother, Eric Albertson, for a few days.

Miss Emma Sorch arrived Monday morning to visit at the home of her parents, Joe Sorch and family, for a few days. Miss Sorch is employed in Bismarck.

R. G. Giegle of Washburn spent the Christmas season with the E. M. Giegle family.

W. G. Miller of Wilton district and Sam Smith of Cromwell township were callers here the fore part of the week.

Miss Lena Risher was doing some Christmas shopping in our city the fore part of the week.

A Happy New Year to you all.

A THOUGHT

A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another.—John 13:34. This is true, philanthropy, that buries not its gold in ostentatious charity, but builds its hospital in the human heart.—Harl.

TROUBLED WITH WEAK KIDNEYS

"Have been troubled with weak kidneys since childhood," writes Mrs. G. Hyde, Bensonia, Michigan. "New party forty years ago have terrible backache and that tired out feeling, hardly able to do my work. By using Foley Kidney Pills accompanied with Foley Cathartic Tablets I soon felt like a new person." Backache, rheumatic pains, dizziness and blurred vision are symptoms of kidney trouble. Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief.

ANNUAL MEETING

The regular annual meeting of the members of the Bismarck Country club for the election of directors and officers for the ensuing year will be held at the room at the Associated Commerce in the First Guaranty Bank Building at 8 o'clock p.m. Jan. 2, 1923. M. H. ATKINSON, Secretary. 12-20-22-26-28

Millions Ahead



A trip abroad has brought \$5,000, 100 to Mrs. Ida M. French, above, daughter of the late Robert J. Wynne, former postmaster general. London courts awarded her this sum from her husband's estate. The couple has been reconciled.



"This world is so full of a number of things," sang Louis. They found 20 needles in an Iowa woman's stomach.

What is worse than getting two ties exactly alike for Christmas?

A wise man never goes hunting with an enemy of his.

Making love is often simple because the people who make it are.

Cheer up. Only six more months until it will be too hot.

A brisk demand for whisktoons is the natural result of drinking holiday home-brew.

A cook tells us the most misunderstood thing on earth is hash.

Duck hunters report a big crop of sparrows.

Just before a man's wife talks him to death he hopes his worst enemy is her next husband.

It is estimated the average man could learn to beat a drum with the energy spent shaking hands.

The rumor that there will be another war is four years old now.

Some towns are so lucky. Insurance men are missing in Cleveland.

A man about town is usually about broke.

All the world likes a liker.

The Ohio man who insured his fiddle for \$10,000 may have expected to play at a New Year dance.

General Bliss is writing some in side dope on the war and it seems that ignorance is not Bliss.

Alabama woman of 38 has 17 children and we just wonder if she will live to a hundred.

You can't have your Christmas funs and have your Christmas fund too.

A boy will break a crooked ruler. European nations do the same.

Held in Russia



For the second time Mrs. Marquerite E. Harrison above Barrimore, Md. newspaper woman is reported to have been arrested at Chita Russia by the soviet government and sent to a Moscow prison. She was released from that prison a year ago.

Social and Personal

Forty Club Ball Presents Scene Of Real Beauty

The Forty Club Christmas dance held at Paterson hall last night was attended by 32 couples and these out of town guests. At 9 o'clock the dancing commenced in the artistically decorated ball room and ended at midnight when a course luncheon was served.

Occupying a place of honor in the large ball room was a huge Christmas tree of red and green streamers dipping from the tips of large Japanese parasols. The stage occupied by the musicians was turned into snow bank with evergreen trees rising from its base.

Four tables spread with white linen and decorated with baskets of noisettes and candles were arranged at the other end of the room which was cut off by a series of log rails spotted with bits of sparkling snow. Baskets of polka-dots suspended from the ceiling of the room and an abundance of evergreen trees gave the last touch to the scene of festivity as the ladies in their gowns of bright silks and satins appeared.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. T. Lough of Jefferson Barre, Mo. and Miss Ethel Lowman of Chicago, Ill.

MONDAY CLUB PROGRAM

Mrs. G. F. Dullam was hostess to the members of the Monday club at their meeting yesterday, when the "Development of Democracy" was the theme for discussion. Mrs. F. A. Lahr had a paper on "Revolutionary Theories of Government," Mrs. W. E. Lahr discussed Hamilton Garlands' "A Son of the Middle Border," and Mrs. M. W. Roan presented an interesting digest of "Letters from a Senator's Wife," by Frances Parkinson Keyes.

FORTNIGHTLY CLUB MEETS

Mrs. F. R. Smyth entertained members of the Fortnightly club at their regular meeting yesterday. The program was devoted to literary authors. Mrs. I. Young read as her subject "The Sea" and his heritage and influence on later writers; Mrs. Philip Meyer gave an interesting paper on Longfellow and his poetry. Mrs. A. M. Brandt presented the news of the fortnight.

PLANS FOR U. C. T. DANCE

The committee of the U. C. T. dance have been busy making arrangements for their big dance at the Grand Pacific ball room Saturday night. Noise makers, confetti, and other features are being planned to give the occasion a carnival air. While invitations are being issued to U. C. T. members, their friends are cordially invited to attend even though they do not receive invitations.

VISITING PARENTS

Prof. and Mrs. Alonzo Grace are spending the Christmas holidays as the guests of Prof. Grace's parents, Judge and Mrs. R. H. Grace. Prof. Grace, former instructor at the University of Minnesota, is now connected with the State University of North Dakota.

INFORMAL DANCING PARTY

Louis Grambs gave an informal dancing party at the family residence on 621 Fourth street yesterday evening in honor of Richard Dewhurst of Stillwater, Minn., who arrived in Bismarck yesterday for a short visit with his former classmates.

GIVES WHIST PARTY

Mrs. Ariel Anderson was hostess at a whist party last night in honor of her classmate, Miss Charlotte Logan, who is spending her vacation from the University of North Dakota with her mother and friends. The honors at cards were won by Misses Edna Mosbrucker and Charlotte Logan. The hostess was assisted in serving refreshments by Miss Kathleen Brazier.

AMPUTATE LIMBS

Ernest Townsend, rural mail carrier out of Flin, who was recently badly frozen while delivering mail, had both his feet amputated to the ankle and all his fingers amputated yesterday. Otherwise, attending physicians report that the patient is doing as well as could be expected.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Dan Sundquist, who has been confined to the St. Alexius hospital for the past fourteen weeks as a result of a fall injuring her hip, returned to her home yesterday. She is not yet able to walk, but moves about in a wheel chair.

ON TRIP

William Kerton of the Olympia Candy Shop has left for a trip to Minneapolis and Chicago, to attend to business matters and visit relatives. He will be absent two or three weeks.

STOPS OVER WITH FRIENDS

Miss Ruby Wilson of Medora stopped over here Tuesday for a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnson after spending Christmas with her parents in Ruvo.

A good old New Year's dance will be given at Odd Fellows hall Dec. 29 for Rebekahs, Odd Fellows, and friends. Best of music and good time promised to all.

U. C. T. New Year's Dance Saturday night at Grand Pacific Hotel.

War Mothers Remembered



American mothers who lost their sons in the World War are remembered with the dead soldiers in this war memorial to be erected soon in Nashville Tenn. George Julian Zoung, Washington, D. C., sculptor, is shown beside it in Rome Italy where he carved the statue.

SING CAROLS AT HOSPITALS

According to their annual custom the ladies of the Thursday Musical club sang Christmas carols at the local hospital Tuesday afternoon. They were assisted by Richard Falkenstein and Richard Dittman, who are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. French.

The singers were cordially welcomed and thoroughly enjoyed bringing Christmas cheer to those whose hearty applause and smile of approval manifested their appreciation, they said. The club members plan to visit the hospitals again at Easter.

PRESBYTERIAN CHOR MEETING

Members of the Presbyterian evening choir and all others interested are invited to meet at the church at 7:15 o'clock this evening, when choir practice will be held. All members are urged to be prompt.

MISS ORR LEAVES

Miss Agnes V. Orr, who spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Orr, returned last night on No. 4 to New London, Conn.

SODALITY SOCIAL MEETING

A social meeting of St. Mary's Sodality will be held in St. Mary's school gymnasium this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The early part of the evening will be given over to the direction of an instructor of physical culture.

TILLOTSON GUEST

Miss Ethel Lowman of Chicago, Ill., who has been the guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. F. Tillotson will leave tomorrow for her home.

STUDENTS HERE FOR HOLIDAYS

Richard Dittman, student at the state agricultural college at Fargo, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. French.

A good old New Year's dance will be given at Odd Fellows hall Dec. 29 for Rebekahs, Odd Fellows, and their friends. Invitations for the same are being sent out by the committee. The best of music and a good time is promised to all.

CAVELL GIRL SCOUTS

A meeting of the Cavell girl scouts will be held Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at which time all members are urged to be present.

B. C. Beck, Marsh Wilton, C. E. Babcock and Emory Turner of McKenzies were city callers today.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Koon of Flora, Benjamin Koon, Edward Roth and W. E. Chisholm of McKenzies visited and shopped here today.

Mr. and Mrs. George King and daughter of Regan shopped in the capital city today.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kettleson of Wing visited friends here today.

Mrs. T. E. Hanold of Van Hook shopped and visited friends here this morning.

Miss Ragna Wold, a teacher of the Regan district, shopped here today.

J. J. Scallon of Wing was a city caller today.

W. W. Baxter of Bradstock is a business caller here for several days.

New Year Flower Special.
Potted Narcissus \$1.00 each.
Cyclamen \$1.00 each. Oscar H. Will & Co. 319 3rd St. Phone 784-W. We deliver.

First Woman Diplomat



Miss Lucile Atcherson, Columbus, first woman to be appointed to the United States diplomatic service, is shown taking oath of office administered by Attorney General John G. Price of Ohio. Miss Atcherson will stay temporarily at Washington.

MRS. NEWCOMB'S FATHER PASSES

Mrs. George B. Newcomb of Sixth street, who recently returned from St. Paul, where she went to see her father, O. P. Wolcott, then very ill, has received word that he passed away Christmas morning at the age of seventy-six.

CITY NEWS

St. Alexius Hospital
Miss Mary Kestner of Glen Ulin, Mrs. Cecilia Neibauer of Mandan, Nick Hegel of Richardson, Mrs. Sebastian Heinrich of Solen, Mrs. Joe Wald of Strasburg, Miss Minnie Van Lishout of Mott, Mrs. L. M. Johnson of Falcirk, Albert Anderson of Dawson, Mrs. Claude Newman of Wilton, and M. J. Seiler of the city left to enter the St. Alexius hospital for treatment. Mrs. Alfred Kruger of Danzig, and Arthur Dreyer of the city have been discharged from the hospital.

Bismarck Hospital
Mrs. Fred Grens of Fredonia, Jacob Kraft of Zap. George F. Robbins, of Ryder, Mrs. E. E. Foster of Beulah, John Malke of Krem, Lloyd Stevens of Halliday, F. B. Bennett of Wilton, Raleigh Baker of Glen Ulin, Bertha Goebel of Lehr, Baby Le-raine Nicola of the city, and P. J. Leagard of Balfour have entered the Bismarck hospital for treatment. Miss Eleanor McCabe of Steel, Mrs. Carol Miller of Golden Valley have been discharged from the hospital.

AT THE MOVIES

THE ELTINGE

If you believe that diamonds known as "pink gods" have no power over weak women you are in error. One can go further and assert that they exert their power over all mankind; and they have been responsible for more crime than many be attributed to any other agency.

In "Pink Gods," a new Paramount picture featuring Bebe Daniels, James Kirkwood, Anna Q. Nilsson and Raymond Hatton, which will be seen at the Eltinge theater Friday and Saturday next, the baleful influence of these beautiful gems, is admirably depicted. It is a picture of Cynthia Stoddard's South African romance, "Pink Gods and Blue Demons," and every scene of the picture is vibrant with emotion and thrill. The story deals with two young women who fall under the sway of the little pink gods and, one of whom, the character portrayed by Bebe Daniels, falls into serious difficulty when she resorts to theft to indulge her craving for the gems. How the other woman is misled by circumstances and ultimately finds happiness, is excellently shown.

TRAFFIC FROM MANDAN SHOWS BIG INCREASE

Traffic between Mandan and Bismarck has grown remarkably since the opening of the new vehicular bridge across the Missouri river. After the business began to such proportions that it would not be well handled in touring cars, the Rober Taxi company of Bismarck and the Lewis and Clark Taxi company of Mandan have placed in service two Garfield motor buses, which have a capacity of 14 passengers each.

William Rober of Bismarck made a trip to Elyria, Ohio, to the Garford factory to obtain speedy delivery on the buses, which are said to be the latest type used in motor traffic between cities in the east. The business has been placed upon a permanent basis by the Bismarck and Mandan concerns, and it will be expanded if increase in traffic demand.

17 YEAR OLD

(By the Associated Press)
Chicago, Dec. 28.—An unidentified automobile thief was in a city jail here today because a 12 year old boy aided a policeman in his capture yesterday. Policeman Dennis Jordan saw the man attempting to drive away in a motor car and gave chase. Kenneth Schubert was playing in a lot across which the pursuit lead. He shouted "halt" and then fired twice with a rifle. The robber fell, crying out that he had been shot. The policeman found no bloodstains and it developed Kenneth had used an air gun, and that the bullets had not even penetrated the fugitive's clothing.

MAKES POOR SHOWING

(By the Associated Press)
Yakima, Wash., Dec. 28.—Jess Willard, former heavyweight champion boxer, middled poorly here last night in two exhibition bouts. He stung Alvin Schumacher, a local heavyweight at the start. He later boxed Frank Farmer.

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Stork Brings Twins to Royalty



Here are the first twins born in eight years to a member of the English royal family. They are little Lady Katherine Paget (left) and her tiny brother, the Earl of Uxbridge, the offspring of the Marchioness of Anglessey. This is the first picture to be taken of them and was snapped while they were having their morning airing in the park.

AGED ACTRESS BLIND, STAGES COMEBACK

New York, Dec. 28.—Mollie Fuller came back to the stage last night. The audience in a Brooklyn theater laughter at the lines she had, and listened appreciatively while she sang of Broadway. Not one knew that Mollie came back to the stage totally blind.

Mollie Fuller first became known more than a score of years ago as a member of Henry E. Dixey's company in "Adonia." Later, with her husband, as Helen and Fuller, she played vaudeville houses over the country for 25 years.

Friends found her last week in a hotel room just off Broadway, penniless, alone and blind. They arranged an act, provided a setting and obtained engagements for the former Broadway favorite. The part is ingeniously arranged to conceal her blindness.

"I thought I never could act again," Miss Fuller said. "But next week we're going back to Broadway. It seems too good to be true."

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Ask Request For Extradition Be Withdrawn

(By the Associated Press)

Indianapolis, Dec. 28.—Governor McCray announced today that he had received a request from Governor Nestos of North Dakota to withdraw extradition papers for J. A. Olson, who is under indictment for embezzlement in connection with the failure of the Newburgh, Indiana, State Bank. The Indiana executive said the North Dakota Governor's message gave no reason for the request and he has written for further information.

MAKES FINAL REPORT

(By the Associated Press)
St. Paul, Dec. 28.—Ivan Bowen, state fuel administrator today made his final report of fuel activities to Governor J. A. O. Preus, he announced.

This action, with the announcement that C. P. White, northwest federal fuel distributor, will give up his offices here Saturday, leaves the northwest without any fuel direction, either state or federal.

DISCUSS CAPITAL PUNISHMENT

(By the Associated Press)
St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 28.—The executive committee of the Minnesota crime commission today discussed capital punishment, state constabulary and other questions, relative to the apprehension of criminals behind closed doors.

It was at first stated that this meeting would be public, but when the committee convened it was decided to hold an executive session, and all newspaper men were requested to retire.

Chief Justice Calvin L. Brown, chairman of the crime commission is also chairman of the executive committee.

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Two years ago we ran the following advertisement entitled "A Little Talk on Banking" in the Bismarck Tribune:

One of the cleverest and most careful businessmen of Bismarck, told us recently of a plan which he had worked out.

He said, "You know that sometimes a fellow will find himself short of ready cash when insurance premiums come due or the taxes must be paid. Let me tell you what I did early last year. I estimated the total of the taxes, life and fire insurance and certain other fixed charges for 1920 and then deposited in your savings department one-twelfth of that total amount. Each month I made similar deposit and as a result had on hand during the year and at the close a sum sufficient to meet without any strain on other resources all expenditures for the purpose for which the fund was started."

We think that his idea is a good one.

To illustrate: suppose for 1921 you are likely to require or would wish to provide funds for the following purposes:

Taxes on House	\$150.00
Life and Fire Insurance	200.00
Vacation Trip	200.00
Christmas Presents	50.00
Annual Overhauling of Automobile	
(If you have one)	150.00
Birthday Present for Wife	50.00
If this is your total	\$800.00

deposit each month in our savings department \$66.66 where it will draw interest compounded quarterly. Make a similar deposit each month and see how easily the plan will work.

It can be varied, reduced or enlarged, to meet the requirements of everyone, merchant, professional man, teacher, clerk, mechanic, men and women in every walk of life.

Try it for 1921 and thereafter.

The business men to whom we referred yet recommends and practices the plan which he outlined at that time. It will be just as applicable for 1923 as it was in 1921.

The First National Bank

The Pioneer Bank

Christmas Money

Put that money to the best purpose.
Buy a Wrist Watch, a thin model man's watch, or have your diamond reset in an up-to-date mounting.

BONHAM Brothers

LOGAN'S

"We Thank You"

APPLES! APPLES!!

Wagners. Jumbo Packed. Containing extra fancy, fancy and C Grade. Special this week. \$1.00

Heinz Fig Pudding

Extra Special this week.

Small Cans	Medium Size	Large size
20c	40c	80c
Serve two.	Serve six.	Serve twelve.

Bulk Cocoa

2 pounds for 25c

Bulk Coconut

Just received another shipment and it is sure good, per pound. 35c
3 lbs. for \$1.00.

All phones 211 118 3rd St.

Last delivery, Saturday, 4:30.

Other week days, 4:00.

Close 8 P. M.

SWEET CREAM.

SAVE "WHERE THRIFTY THOUSANDS TRADE"

Week End Specials

Heinz Apple Butter of superior flavor and very appetizing. 2-lb glass jar each 80c	Lipplinger's Apple Butter. A dandy substitute in place of creamery butter, each 40c	Richelleu Fig Jam. Try this healthful fruit put up this way. 1-lb jar each 37c	Pearline for washing and scrubbing in hard or soft, warm or cold water. Small size, each 5c	Glencrest thousand Island salad dressing, per bottle each 38c	Burt Olney's Cat-sup. serve it at every bottle 22c	Cream of Barley, per package 24c	Dr. Price's phosphate baking powder, per can 28c
Exmoor Strawberry and Raspberry jam, Apple base, 10-oz jar, 39c	Richelleu Apricot Preserves Give the kiddies a real treat. 1-lb jar each 50c	Richelleu Fig Jam. Try this healthful fruit put up this way. 1-lb jar each 37c	Sandwichella for a real dainty sandwich, per jar 14c	Heinz pork and Beans, one of the famous 57, medium size, 3 cans for 45c	Royal Garden Tea, Black, Orange Pekoe, 1/2-lb per pkg. 44c	Roman Meal, a sequel to "Brownies" per pkg 35c	Hunt's Perfect Baking Powder, 1-pound size, each 22c



Bismarck, N. D.

SPORTS

RADGERS HOT ON TRAIL OF WAHPETON MAN

Trying His Best to Draw Jack Sampson Into Wrestling Bout for Title

Stanley Radgers of Bismarck, champion of the heavyweight wrestling championship of North Dakota, is hot on the trail of Jack Sampson, the Wahpeton heavyweight, but hasn't been able to get a match out of him yet. Sampson asserts the title of heavyweight champion of North Dakota, which Radgers disputes.

Radgers and backers transmitted an offer of \$500 guarantee to Sampson for a match. They haven't been able to get a peep out of the Wahpeton man. The offer has been renewed, and Radgers and his backers declare they will pay the cash in the bank if the Wahpeton man is looking for a good wrestling bout purse.

Radgers, since establishing headquarters in Bismarck, has met a number of good wrestlers and has won all of his matches. Known as the "California Lion" he is ready to meet all comers, but is particularly anxious for Sampson to meet him in a match on any terms the latter names. Radgers' backers declare Sampson is afraid to risk his laurels. Recently the big Wahpeton fellow has been having some matches in Minnesota.

Special delivery and registered letters have as yet failed to produce an answer, but Radgers is going to continue his efforts to get him in the squared circle.

Joe Mour of Medina, under the direction of Jack Crowell of Steele, is ready to meet all comers at 140 pounds. He announced. He is scheduled to meet Russ Le Roy of Fargo; Muff Bronson of Butte and Daugherty, "the fighting farmer" of Leeds and an unknown man from Kintyre. Mour claims to have defeated Joe Lee, Lewis Wescom, Jimmy Woodhall, Bat Krause, Buck Garrison and Kid Miller. He challenges Bat Krause for a return match.

A gym has been opened in the W. A. Lund pool room at Steele. A lot of interest has developed in the boxing and wrestling game at Steele this year, with some live men pushing the sport.

FORMER STARS OF B. H. S. WILL PLAY FRIDAY

High School-Alumni Basketball Game Scheduled for Friday Evening

The high school basketball team will meet some of the stars that have gone out from the high school in previous years tomorrow night, in a holiday high school-alumni game.

Kluft, Flow, Roberts and others will play on the alumni team, and Coach Houser also may get in the game for the alumni.

The game will be called promptly at 7:30 o'clock. Capt. Scroggins announced. A hard contest is expected. Roberts and Flow have been working out steadily at the Agricultural College and are in splendid shape.

The next high school game will be with Jamestown, here on Jan. 5th.

To liver the game tomorrow night, the members of the alumni team are calling upon B.H.S. alumni to get out and root for them against the high school supporters of this year's team.

SPORT BRIEFS

Indianapolis. American Legion national headquarters received a check for \$20,522.10 from K. M. Landis, commissioner of baseball, as the organization's share in the proceeds of the game in the last world's series.

Pinehurst, N. C.—Morton L. Feavey of Garden City, N. W. won the medal in the annual midwinter golf tournament.

Pittsburgh.—The Pittsburgh hockey team was defeated, 2 to 1, by Cleveland.

U. C. T. New Year's Dance Saturday night at Grand Pacific Hotel.

TO BE TRIED AT DICKINSON

Dickinson, N. D., Dec. 28.—Joseph Massey, charged with murder in the first degree in connection with the slaying of his son-in-law, Fones Dolliver, on the latter's farm north of Richardson, June 17, will be placed on trial here in district court before Judge Thomas H. Pugh January 2. Massey, who is more than 60 years old, has since his arrest refused to talk of the shooting.

His counsel will plead self-defense, basing the case upon the story of the wife of the dead man, Massey's daughter, who told a story of cruel and inhuman treatment at the time of the preliminary examination.

BAGBY MAY COME BACK IN NATIONAL

Change of Scenery May Help Former Pitching Star To Regain Form



By Billy Evans
In the passing of Jim Bagby from the Cleveland Club, the American League loses one of the unique characters of the game.

With Jim Bagby there was a reason for everything. He enjoyed nothing better than a friendly argument. During the playing season, Bagby lives baseball-talks incessantly.

Jim is always willing to take the second guess at some play if he feels it will start a discussion as to what should have been done. Most of the heated discussions on the Cleveland club, which were usually of a friendly nature, had Bagby at the bottom of them.

Jim Bagby may prove a second Babe Adams for Pittsburgh, that club having refused to waive on the veteran.

During the football season I attended a game at Pittsburgh between Notre Dame and Carnegie Tech. Now that Pittsburgh has bought Bagby, I recall a remark a Pittsburgh sporting writer made to me on the day of the game.

"What kind of stuff has Jim Bagby?" he asked. Evidently he had heard that Pittsburgh might take a chance on the veteran.

"As much stuff as he ever had," I replied.

It was a perfectly truthful remark. Jim Bagby in 1921 and 1922, had as much stuff as he ever had—yet he couldn't win.

In 1920 with the same assortment, Bagby won 31 games and was the leading pitcher of the American League.

Jim Bagby never boasted much stuff. Ninety per cent of the major league pitchers have far more than Jim, yet few ever reach the fame of winning 31 games in a major league campaign.

Bagby pitched with his head more than his arm. His half speed ball is faster than the ordinary slow ball, and slower than the ordinary or average fast ball. It is well named—half speed ball.

The fact that it is in between—a speed that is the exception rather than the rule—makes it hard to time. Jim also has a nice fadeaway. A good head, plus the control, plus stuff that is a bit different, tells why Bagby has been successful when hundreds of pitchers with twice his stuff have failed.

Absolute lack of confidence was Bagby's prevailing fault the last two years. The lack of confidence in his ability to win is what made a loser out of him.

Change May Help
In 1920, when Bagby won 31 games he was the "cockiest" pitcher in the league. There was nothing cheery about Jim's attitude—rather it was one of supreme confidence. He figured he could beat most any team, and that is just what he did.

A change of scenery, different handling, and a new crop of batters to work on, may do wonders for Bagby. Certainly he is worth the waiver price. Barney Dreyfus is taking a worth-while gamble.

Jim Bagby has as much stuff as he ever had. Failure to win the last two years was a mental hazard rather than physical.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.
Orange, N. J., Dec. 28.—William Battles, a negro, was held without bail early today in connection with the killing yesterday of Mrs. Eleanor L. Brigham, wife of Charles Brigham, a New York business man. Mrs.



JIM BAGBY

Brighams body was discovered late last night in a preserve closet in her home here. He had been choked to death.

The negro was identified today as a former employee at the Brigham home. Battles denied knowledge of the crime.

NEWS BRIEFS

London.—A Central News dispatch from Rome reported sanguinary encounters between Fascist and communists at various places in Italy during the Christmas holidays.

Cairo, Egypt.—The fourteenth attack on British officials in Egypt during the past year took place when Dr. Newby Robson, a lawyer, was shot and killed by an Egyptian Efendi.

London.—T. W. Rhys Davids, scholar and lecturer, died.

Sioux Falls, S. D.—Representatives of livestock shipping associations in South Dakota, Minnesota and Iowa organized the Farmers Commission Company for marketing their stock direct.

Washington.—Colonel Rufus H. Lane was nominated by President Harding to be adjutant and inspector of the marine corps with the rank of brigadier general.

Berlin.—A committee of six Germans was named to assist the Carnegie Foundation in the preparation of an "economic and social history of the world war."

Washington.—A decline in the death rate from heart disease, influenza, pneumonia and tuberculosis in 1921 was announced by the census bureau.

Lansing, Mich.—Justice Howard Weist will assume office January 1 as chief justice of the state supreme court for 1923.

Philadelphia.—Acting on the situation caused by the resignation of Major General Leonard Wood, the board of trustees of the University of Pennsylvania elected Dr. Josiah H. Pennington, provost, or "educational head," of the institution.

St. Joseph, Mich.—Constitutionality of the Michigan syndicalism law was attacked in a motion filed in circuit court.

New York.—Bishop Alma White said men were responsible for present day fashions of women.

Boston.—A bill was introduced in the Massachusetts legislature to forbid breach of promise suits.

Washington.—President Harding signed a bill extending to one year the period in which German or Austrian citizens whose property was taken over by the alien property custodian may file suit for recovery.

SUMMONS

In the district court, fourth judicial district.

State of North Dakota, County of Burleigh, ss:

The Washburn Lignite Coal Company, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. George F. Dudley, Kate B. Martin, Brooke Martin, Flora Brutsche, Ellen Moyes, Enock Alexander Dorf, Hilda T. Fossum, formerly Hilda T. Askland, Leo E. Askland, a minor, Ruth M. Askland, a minor, Walter P. Askland, a minor, Rhoda A. Askland, a minor, Glosine L. Askland, a minor, Joseph S. Wright, as guardian of the persons and estates of the above named minors, and all other persons unknown claiming any estate or interest in or lien or encumbrance upon the premises described in the complaint, defendants.

The State of North Dakota to the above named defendants: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, which has been filed in the office of the clerk of the district court, at Bismarck, in the county of Burleigh, in the fourth judicial district of the State of North Dakota, and to serve a copy of your answer upon the subscribers within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service.

and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

To the above named Defendants: Please take notice that the above entitled action is brought for the purpose of quieting title against each of the defendants herein to the real property described in this action, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Five (5), Lots three (3), Four (4), Five (5), Six (6) and Seven (7), Southeast Quarter of the North West Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$) and East Half of the Southwest Quarter (E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Six (6), all in Township One Hundred Forty-two (142) North, of Range Seventy-nine (79) West, and the Southwest Quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section One (1), Township One Hundred Forty-two (142) North, Range Eighty (80) West, in Burleigh County, North Dakota.

Dated this 12th day of December 1922.

Pierce, Tenneson, Cupler & Stambaugh, Attorneys for Plaintiffs, Office and Post Office Address Fargo, North Dakota.

12-28-14-11-18-25-2-1.

INSTITUTIONS ASKS MORE IN NEXT 2 YEARS

Increase in Attendance Held Responsible for Many Requests

The budget board this week began the work of arriving at final recommendations of the financial needs of the institutions of the state for the next two years. The report will be presented to the legislature within ten days after the opening of the session.

The policy being pursued by the board, according to William Watt, chairman of the house appropriations committee in the last session and ex-officio member, is to keep recommendations for the expenditure of state funds as low as possible and yet maintain the institutions in a manner consistent with the needs and good-business.

Among the problems encountered in the board's work has been the great increase in the numbers at the various state institutions, ranging from more than 50 per cent at the Agricultural college to lesser percentages for other state educational institutions. There is a waiting list at the feeble-minded institution, the numbers have increased markedly at the state training school at Mandan and at other charitable or penal institutions.

Requests for appropriations made by heads of the various institutions are, on the whole, higher than the requests made two years ago, Mr. Watt said. Some of these requests are said to be based solely on the increased amount of money necessary to care for increased numbers.

Exhausted



The strained and exhausted condition of a champion winning a title event is shown in this picture of P. R. Worcester finishing first in the famous Oxford Intercollegiate four-mile relay race. Wace represented Bismarck College. Note the exhausted condition of the runner's body, arms and legs.

POLICE PROBE KILLING OF DULUTH MAN

Advance Theory That Store-keeper was Killed by Bootleggers

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 28.—While virtually the entire city detective force today was investigating the mysterious killing last night of Henry S. Cohen, age 25, confectionery store proprietor, federal prohibition agents were seeking information as to the alleged illicit liquor business of Cohen's store where they claim to have purchased moonshine shortly before the proprietor was found mortally wounded by a customer.

Police advanced the theory that Cohen was killed by gunman at the instigation of other members of a bootlegging ring who feared Cohen might reveal their identity to police. Cohen visited the offices of H. E. Weinberg, city prosecutor, late yesterday in behalf of Sam Cwaygel, alleged illicit still operator. Cohen assured the prosecutor that Cwaygel had nothing to do with operating the still found by police on the latter's property. After promising the city prosecutor that he would make an effort to obtain the license number of an automobile which he had seen leaving the Cwaygel premises, Cohen returned to his store.

Federal agents told police they purchased several drinks of liquor from Cohen at 7:45 o'clock. Fifteen minutes later C. H. Appel, proprietor of an automobile repair shop, found Cohen unconscious and sprawl-

Death From Warring Elements



Upheavals of sea and land spread destruction in the wake of the Chilean disaster. The tidal wave which inundated the district of Vallencar tossed this locomotive and train like a chip.

ed over a counter. He died before his heart. Oppell could summon aid. One shot Cohen's store is within a block of fired at close range had penetrated police headquarters.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

WEBB BROTHERS
Undertakers Embalmers Funeral Directors
Licensed Embalmer in Charge
DAY PHONE 246 NIGHT PHONES 246-857

PERRY UNDERTAKING PARLORS
Licensed Embalmer in Charge
Day Phone 100 Night Phone 100 or 687

BISMARCK FURNITURE COMPANY
220 MAIN STREET
Upholstered Furniture Made to Order.

Advertising Needs Time to Develop Opportunities

Give Advertising Time: That is the thing it needs most. The advertising agency is the precocious infant among the professions. One of the oldest agencies in New York prints on its letterhead the date of its founding, and that date is 1869! Think of it—almost ten years after the Civil War; and the boys of the Civil War are still alive among us.

Law traces its ideals and traditions back to Moses; but even Law is not free from missteps. The physician takes his Hippocratic oaths; and Hippocrates lived 400 B. C.

Yet it was only yesterday when doctors discovered that bad teeth can cause anything serious. Is it fair to expect perfection in a profession that counts only a single generation to its credit? Should it occasion surprise when even a well-laid advertising campaign goes wrong? Is it any wonder that workers whose chief raw material is human nature should have to confess that they cannot always tell in advance just how that raw material will act?

We are learning. We have just passed through one great cycle of inflation and deflation. We know now what happens to the automobile business, and the shoe business and the perfumery business when prices go up like a rocket and come down like a stick. How much wiser counsellors to our customers we shall be when another cycle swings around. How much better we shall be able to read the signs of the storm, having passed through one such tempest.

Do you remember the references in English novels to those old law firms—solicitors—in which sons have succeeded their fathers to the third and fourth generations? Each new generation of lawyers has handled the affairs of the new generation among its clients, dealing out counsel based on records which run back for a hundred years or more. There is no reason why advertising agencies, too, should not outlive their founders and the successors of their founders, growing wiser with each generation and gathering a priceless possession of recorded experience.

Think of an advertising agency in 2020 being able to turn back in the records to 1920 and say to its clients: "In the Fall of 1920 this happened in silk, and this happened in leather and this happened in wheat, and the selling problems which followed were so and so. The present situation has certain aspects that are similar; and the recommendations which we are presenting are based on a recognition of that fact."

We are gaining experience; we are growing more and more valuable as advisers every year. Don't expect the impossible. Give advertising time.

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AGGAGANTIC SALE

Every Bit of Our Immense Stock MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE

We insist on cleaning our shelves and Counters by Saturday night. Our fixtures have been sold---all arrangements made to close forever. COME AND BUY MEN'S and BOY'S WEAR, BOOTS and SHOES at less than 1/2 price

For Sale Cheap
My new Dodge Roadster equipped with Rex Winter Top, and latest accessories. Bumper rear and front. Extra Cord Tire, Spotlight, Moto-meter, Heater, Rearstop Signal, Extra large steering wheel, 2 sets chains. This car has had the best of care and is in A-1 condition.

A FEW OF THE BARGAINS WE OFFER:

Overall Special. Only one pair of these to a customer. 220 weight denim, union made. Only, pair **98c**
Men's Corduroy pants. Regular \$4.50 value. Selling price .. **\$2.48**
Men's Work Pants. One lot men's work trousers. Selling out price **\$1.98**
Men's dress pants. Men's all wool dress trousers. A very exceptional value. Selling out price **\$4.95**
Men's Suits at 1/2 price. Men's all wool suits in serge and worsted materials. Regular values \$39.00. Selling out price **\$18.50**
Boys' Suits. Boys' 2 pants suits, double wear. Selling out price **\$4.95 to \$7.95**

Army Duck Coats. Army duck coats, wool blanket lined, water and wind proof. Regular value \$9.50. Selling out price **\$5.75**
Men's Army Mackinaws. These are the heavy O. D. Mackinaw. Regular value \$11.00. Selling out price **\$6.95**
Men's Sanitary Fleece union suits. Regular \$1.50 value. Selling out price **79c**
Men's Wright Spring needle all wool union suits. Regular \$4.50 value. Selling out price **\$2.98**
Men's Army drawers, all wool. Regular \$1.50 value. Selling out price **69c**
Boys' underwear. Boys' fleece lined union suits. Selling out price **59c**

Men's Hose. We are closing these out by the dozen lots. Men's Cotton Sox, 25c value. Selling out price per dozen pair, only **\$1.29**
Men's Heavy Rockford Sox. Selling out price per dozen only **\$1.29**
Men's Silk Sox. Silk Sox. Regular 90c value. Selling out price **48c**
Silk Sox. Regular \$1.00 value. Selling out price only **59c**
Children's Hose. Girl's and Boys' Hose. Regular 35c value. Selling out price, only pair **19c**
Men's Blue Chambray Work Shirts, only 2 to a customer. Sizes 14 1/2 to 17. Selling out price **49c**
Boys' Rubbers. Boys' heavy rubbers. Regular \$1.40 value. Selling out price **89c**

Men's Volley Shoes. Men's Volley shoes, heavy suction soles. Regular value \$3.50. Selling out price **\$1.98**
Boys' Athletic Shoes. Very fine grade. Selling out price **98c**
Men's Rubbers. Men's heavy sole Bullseye Hood rubber. Regular \$1.75 value. Selling out price, pair **\$1.29**
Men's Dress Rubbers. Regular \$1.50 value. Selling out price **\$1.19**
Special Shoe Counter. 150 pairs men's dress and work shoes. Mahogany, Black Vici and Calif. Guaranteed all leather shoes which retail as high as \$7.50. Our selling out price only **\$2.95**
Men's Shoes. One lot of men's "All Round" mahogany calf leather dress shoes. With and without rubber heels, a

very comfortable fitting shoe. Be the first to get your selection. Our selling out price **\$3.98**
Boys' Shoes. Boys' dress and school shoes, Mahogany and Pearl. Gloved chocolate trimmed. Your choice of any pair in this lot **\$1.98**
Men's Over Shoes. Men's 4 Buckle all rubber, fleece lined overshoes. Selling out price **\$1.69**
Men's 4 Buckle cloth top Arctic overshoes. Selling out price **\$2.23**
Men's Hip Boots. One lot of men's rubber hip boots. Regular \$4.50 value. Selling out price **\$2.48**
Army Hob Nail Shoes. One lot. A very good shoe for heavy work. Selling out price **\$2.95**

Men's Soft and Stiff Collars. All latest styles. Selling out price, only each **14c**
Men's Dress Shirts. One lot of these fine dress shirts, Madras material. Selling out price **89c**
Cuff leggings **59c**
Wrap leggings **75c**
Leather puttees **\$2.98**
Army Holsters **98c**
Transport mitts, 3 fingers **49c**
Army cap **49c**
Foot powder, per can **8c**
Flags, 44x65 **95c**
Army overalls **90c**
Shoe polish. Regular 15c value, per can **8c**

Army Wool O. D. Breeches. Regular \$4.95 value. Selling out price **\$2.98**
Army Wool O. D. Pants. Regular \$4.00 value. Selling price **\$2.48**
Army O. D. Wool Blouses. Selling out price **\$1.98**
Mess Kits. New **19c**
Cups **9c**
Webb belts **14c**
Shell belts **19c**
Men's Garters. Regular 40c value. Selling out price **18c**
Army Goods (Specials). Men's Khaki Army Breeches, renovated. Regular \$1.25 value. Your choice of any pair in this lot, only pair **50c**

ARMY AND NAVY STORE

WANTED: SIX SALESMEN FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
410 Broadway, Grand Pacific Block

WRECKAGE IS REPORTED IN LAKE ERIE

Relieved to be Missing Tug Which Planes Have Been Searching

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 28.—There was an air of expectancy here today pending receipt of a report from a tug ordered sent from Erie, Pa., by the Great Lakes Towing Company to view wreckage seen in Lake Erie near that city yesterday. The derelict was believed to be that of the tug Cornell, which with seven members of her crew, has been missing a week.

Two aviators from the air mail field here reported late yesterday that they had sighted what appeared to be the hull of a boat a half mile from shore five miles east of Erie. Because of the blackened appearance of the craft, the aviators believe the derelict is that of a vessel which went down as a result of an explosion or fire. The machines were flying at an altitude of 300 and 400 feet, because of fog, and the pilots declare they saw boilers and machinery above the water.

The wreckage had not been sighted by tugs or power boats which have been searching since Monday for trace of the Cornell. The vessel disappeared mysteriously while enroute from here to Buffalo to be delivered to a Syracuse firm which had recently purchased her from the Great Lakes Towing Company. Despite the efforts of the aviators H. E. Gilpin, president of the Great Lakes company, said that every foot of the Canadian shore between Port Colborne and Longpoint would also be covered by searchers. It was between these two places that the tug Q. A. Gilmore picked up a life boat of the Cornell Tuesday containing the frozen body of Michael Paytosh a fireman on the ill-fated craft.

Federal investigation of the lost tug's condition on previous to its departure from here last Thursday was being made here and at Buffalo.

SHOT ACCIDENTALLY
Madison, Wis., Dec. 28.—James Lynaugh, 14 year old son of Matt B. Lynaugh, a policeman, who shot and killed Carl Jandorff, University of Wisconsin student in 1920, was killed last night when a bullet from an accidentally discharged pistol held by his cousin, Urban K. Lynaugh, struck his heart.

The Kelly boy and young Ly-

Klan Goes to Church



Here is the first picture taken of members of the Ku Klux Klan invading a church during services to give money and express their approval of the work of the pastor. This unusual photo was taken at the Pacific Congregational Church in Chicago.

naugh had been inspecting two large automatic pistols at the Kelly home when one of the weapons was accidentally discharged. James Lynaugh was a freshman at the University high school. His father was acquitted of a charge of murder growing out of the killing of the Jandorff boy.

CONFESSES CRIME

Austin, Minn., Dec. 28.—Clay Hamblen of Caylor, arrested in Stockton, Cal., last held in connection with the death of his wife by poisoning and also the burning of his home, confessed that he gave the poison to his wife while enroute to Fairmont, according to a statement issued today by Sheriff W. S. Carver of Fairmont. The confession was made in the county jail here last night.

According to Sheriff Carver, Hamblen admitted in the alleged confession that he placed poison in medicine which he gave to his wife while she lay sick in bed on October 9. She died four days later.

A letter written by Hamblen from the home of his parents in Dudley Ill., to Mrs. Tera Schneider of Stockton, and had published by Sheriff Carver reads:

"My wife died recently under mysterious circumstances and I collected the insurance money."

Informing Mrs. Schneider that

he was coming to California, the letter cautioned her to "not let anyone know I am coming."

Gun Battle Follows Attempt to Arrest

Stouboville, Ohio, Dec. 28.—Joseph Jones, 500, a mill worker and Deputy Sheriff Harry L. Jones of Brook county, West Virginia, lay wounded in hospitals today, and Follansbee, a little town just across the Ohio river from here was recovering from the terrors of a gun battle between Jones and officials last night, during which his house was pelted by hundreds of bullets fired from a machine gun, pistols, rifles and riot guns.

The shooting started when deputy Sheriff Jones and other officers went to Joseph Jones' home at Follansbee to arrest him on his wife's complaint, that, while under the influence of liquor, he had fired her at the point of a pistol to sign over her property to him. The deputy sheriff was wounded in the first fighting, and when Joseph Jones barricaded himself in the house, reinforcements with a machine gun and other weapons were brought on. More than a thousand shots were fired by the officials and Follansbee citizens who also

participated and Jones, wounded in the leg, finally ceased firing. His wife witnessed the battle from a neighbor's porch.

BOMB SENT IN MAILS IS FATAL TO ONE

Wisconsin Woman Dies, Husband Is Not Expected To Live

Marshfield, Wis., Dec. 28.—Mrs. James R. Chapman is dead and her husband, Wood county chairman, is not expected to live as a result of an explosion caused by the latter's opening a package containing a bomb delivered to him by a rural mail carrier on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Chapman received the bomb in a package postmarked "Marshfield and on opening it in the presence of Mrs. Chapman suffered the loss of his arm, which was blown from his body. Mrs. Chapman was hit by flying missiles and a large hole in her side caused her death a few hours later. The room was demolished by the force of the explosion.

ARMOUR CO. FORMS NEW CORPORATION

Chicago, Dec. 28.—Formation of Armour and Company of Delaware, created a charter yesterday, brought with it a decided shifting in the structure of Armour and Company of Illinois, more than anticipated in the proposed packing trade merger of Armour and Company and Morris and Company, it was learned today.

In a statement J. Ogden Armour, president of both companies, said the new Armour concern was organized to acquire from Armour and Company of Illinois "certain of its properties and assets for the purpose of facilitating the administration and financing of its business."

Armour and Company of Delaware, Mr. Armour said, will assume control of certain properties previously operated as branches of Armour and Company of Illinois. They include both American and Cuban business, the fertilizer works, the soap busi-

Spanish Prince a Corporal



The heir to the Spanish throne, the Prince of Asturias, is shown here (left, front rank) marching in the corporal's position in the Royal Regiment. This photo was snapped at the regiment palace in the Royal Palace in Madrid after returning from battle maneuvers.

ness and other by-product plants and approximately \$23,000,000 of investments.

With this completed, it was said, Armour and Company, of Illinois, will consummate the segregation of its industries in accordance with the government's packers act.

MUST SUE ROAD "AT THE SOURCE"

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 28.—Preliminary to a second hearing on the case of H. W. Pratt against the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad for \$5,258 damages to a shipment of sheep scheduled for Saturday morning, Federal Judge Page Morris today handed down an opinion in connection with his original decision of August 12 that railroads may be sued by shippers only at the source and not through associate carriers.

TERRIFIC GALE OVER ATLANTIC

(By the Associated Press.)
Havre, Dec. 28.—A terrific gale which has been raging on the channel and Atlantic seaboard for the last three days shows no signs of abating. A score of crafts are anchored in the Havre roads unable to sail.

The beaches at Deauville and Trouville have been damaged and the bath houses wrecked by the high tide and pounding sea.

EASY DIVORCE IS SOUGHT BY BRITISH

BY MILTON BRONNER
NEA Service Staff Correspondent.
London, Dec. 18.—Divorce reform is the object of agitation in Great Britain as well as in America. America would make divorce more difficult by means of Senator Jones' proposed 20th amendment. Britain would make divorce easier. For only one reason, however—insanity.

The long and futile fight of Mrs. Alice Rutherford to obtain release from a husband convicted of murder and confined in an asylum for the criminal insane, has given impetus to the movement.



MRS. ALICE RUTHERFORD

Husband Slew Major
Nearly four years ago her husband, Colonel Norman Rutherford, an officer in the Royal Army Medical Corps, shot and killed Major Seddon, a cousin of Mrs. Rutherford. He was found guilty, but insane.

Britain's law does not allow a wife to divorce a man because he is a lunatic or a convict, as in most states in America.

So she sued for divorce on grounds of cruelty and misconduct with his cousin and the lower court granted the divorce.

JUDGE NUESSELE BUSY CLEANING UP AFFAIRS

Judge W. L. Nuessele is busy in chambers this week endeavoring to clear away all business before he gives up the office to become justice of the supreme court next week. Many requests have come from attorneys from various cities in the district for decision upon new matters within the present week, which has added to the press of business. Judge Nuessele expects to be able to leave a clear desk by the end of the week.

Case Is Appealed

But the woman involved carried the case to the court of appeal and was declared innocent and the divorce was rescinded. Mrs. Rutherford took the case to the House of Lords, to the Law Lords, and they found the other woman innocent and refused the divorce, although expressing sympathy for the wife.

TRUMPETER FOR CUSTER IS DEAD

John Martin, 69, who claimed to have been a survivor of the Indian fights at the time of the Custer massacre at the Little Big Horn, died in Brooklyn, N. Y., dispatches say. He was said to have been a trumpeter and dispatch bearer for General Custer. Since all members of the Custer command were killed, it is thought that Martin may have been with Reno or some other command.

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